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Victoria Daily Times

VICTORIA, B.C., FRIDAY, JANUARY 14, 1921

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Variety—Kismet—
Princess—My Irish Rose.
Royal—What Women Love.
Adventure—Conrad and Quest of His Youth
Fantasy—Vaudville
Columbia—Blue Streak McCoy.

TWENTY PAGES

Raoul Peret Will Succeed Leygues as French Premier

President of Chamber of Deputies, At Invitation of President Millerand, Has Accepted Task of Forming New Cabinet; Ministers Being Chosen.

Paris, Jan. 14.—Raoul Peret, President of the Chamber of Deputies, was to-day asked by President Millerand to form a Cabinet in succession to the one headed by Georges Leygues which resigned on Wednesday.

M. Peret accepted the task and immediately began consultations with friends over the formation of a Ministry. He was expected to return to the Presidential residence by six o'clock this evening to report on the outcome of his efforts.

Strike In Paris.

Paris, Jan. 14.—The postal, telegraph and telephone employees struck to-day and 3,000 police were sent out to preserve order during street demonstrations incidental to the reconvening of Parliament. It is feared the strike will spread throughout the communications services, including the railroad.

BALLOONISTS ARE WELCOMED HOME

Accept Invitation of Canadian Club at New York

New York, Jan. 14.—Lieuts. Kloor, Farrell and Hinton, naval balloonists, arrived to-day exactly one month after they had landed near Moose Factory, Ont., after a day's balloon flight from the Rockaway naval station.

Lieut. Farrell was the first to leave the train, accompanied by Mrs. Farrell, who had left New York to meet her husband. A crowd of relatives, naval officers and a group of business men from Rockaway greeted the party.

The balloonists declared they were "none the worse" for their perilous adventure in the north woods, where they were lost for four days. The officers lined up in the station and posed for photographers.

Guests of Club.

New York, Jan. 14.—(Canadian Press).—The three United States balloonists, Lieuts. Kloor, Hinton and Farrell, who returned from Canada this morning, have accepted an invitation from the Canadian Club here to attend a dinner at the Astor Hotel on Jan. 21, when Hon. N. W. Rowell, K.C., and E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway will be the principal speakers.

It was also announced by the Canadian Government that Mr. Taft, New York, and Rustom Rustumjee, formerly editor of the Oriental Review of Bombay, India, will speak. Mr. Taft will deal with the Japanese question, while Mr. Rustumjee's subject is announced as "The New Era in India."

Claimed Liquor Is Smuggled Into States by Aeroplane School

San Francisco, Jan. 14.—Aeroplane delivery of liquor from Canada and its distribution through a committee organized and operating under the cloak of an ostensible aeroplane school, was reported yesterday by D. C. Smith, prohibition officer from Portland, Ore., co-operating with John L. Considine, prohibition supervisor, in an investigation of the alleged association.

According to information which the officer said he had obtained, the association has an initiation fee of \$300, has 250 members in Portland alone, has several companies and an aeroplane school operated as cloaks for its real business. Several aeroplanes flying between the Canadian border and coast states and a protective system, whereby its members by assessment furnish funds for legal aid for arrested operatives.

Strong Party Fight in South African Election

Toronto, Jan. 14.—(Canadian Press).—This is nomination day throughout the British Union of South Africa and the expectation is that there will be officially named in almost every constituency candidates of each of the three principal parties—South African Unionist, Nationalist and Labor. Three-cornered contests, it is thought, will be a general thing.

The South African Unionist coalition is the party of the present Government led by General Smuts.

Principal Issue.

The principal issue in the campaign is that of secession from the British Empire, which the Nationalists strongly support. The latest manifesto of the leaders of the economic issue, so as to cut the ground from under the feet of the republicans, notwithstanding the publication recently of a "minute" prepared by Senator Marais of the Nationalist head committee, urging that the head committee must decide to drop the republic for the time being and contest the election on the

BRITISH NATIONAL DEBT

London, Jan. 14.—A "White Paper" just issued gives the total British National debt as of April of last year as £1,831,744,000. This represents an increase of nearly £39,000,000 during the year ended over the previous year.

ORGANIZING MEDICAL RELIEF FOR IRELAND

Sinn Fein Announces Offer From United States

Dublin, Jan. 14.—The Sinn Fein announced last night the receipt of the following cable from the United States by Arthur Griffith, founder of the Sinn Fein.

"American nurses are forming a unit to give medical aid in Ireland or organized relief here. Wire instructions."

Eamonn de Valera, "president of the Irish Republic," replied that money was needed for relief and he suggested that "an American branch of the Irish White Cross come here to superintend the distribution."

Reprisals.

Dublin, Jan. 14.—The Sinn Fein bulletin asserts that from December 18 to January 12 Crown forces have committed thirty-seven murders, committed after the murder of a wounded, burned seventy-eight houses and shops and not a single case has been punished, despite the proclamation of General Macready, the military commander in Ireland, that guilty persons would be liable to court martial and the death penalty.

Bombs Thrown.

Dublin, Jan. 14.—Two bombs were thrown by a man carrying auxiliary police while it was traveling in Merrion Square, a fashionable quarter of the city last night. The driver speeded up the lorry while the cadets fired in the direction of the attacking party. There were no casualties.

Sixty Sentenced.

Limerick, Jan. 14.—Sixty prisoners on trial in connection with an attack December 27 on Crown forces who were approaching a place where a dance was being held near Bruff, Co. Limerick, were sentenced yesterday in the field general court martial to ten years penal servitude. Five years in each case, however, has been remitted.

King's Counsel Wounded.

London, Jan. 14.—William McGrath, King's Counsel in Dublin, was severely wounded when fired upon by a man who forced an entrance into his home early this morning, says a Central News telegram from that city. Mr. McGrath is said to have been struck by several bullets.

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Rhineland Commission Suppresses Paper of Count von Reventlow

Coblenz, Jan. 14.—The Inter-Affiliated Rhineland commission has suppressed the weekly publication of Count von Reventlow, former chief editor of the *Tages Zeitung* of Berlin, for three months. It has also been forbidden sale in the occupied area of two brochures entitled "The Horror on the Rhine" and the "Black Pest in Europe," published by an English pacifist.

O'Connor May Run as an Independent in West Peterboro

Peterboro, Ont., Jan. 14.—W. F. O'Connor, K. C., in an interview, to-day discloses his present intention to run for Peterboro in the following election. As to whether I shall be a candidate in West Peterboro, I am not yet able to say and do not expect to decide until nomination day.

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Adverse Report by Academy of Medicine on New Cancer Serum

Toronto, Jan. 14.—Dr. J. T. Glover's claim to having discovered a serum for the successful treatment of cancer is reported upon adversely by a special committee of the Council of the Academy of Medicine of this city. The committee was appointed some time ago to investigate the claims of the young Toronto doctor and his friends made last summer that he had found a serum that would relieve cancer sufferers, if not positively cure them.

Soviet Institutes Drastic Measures to Suppress Strike

London, Jan. 14.—The "strike situation" in Russia has caused the Soviet Government to take strong remedial measures, it is asserted in a Central News dispatch from Helgoland to-day.

"The Government," says the dispatch, has decreed a warning to all strikers that unless they returned to work immediately they will be imprisoned for terms of from one to five years and that their families will be deprived of food cards.

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RESULT IN DOUBT AT WEST PETERBORO

All Candidates Expected to Poll Big Vote

Ottawa, Jan. 14.—(Canadian Press) Interest is steadily growing at the capital in the West Peterboro by-election. It is thought that with five candidates in the field, there can be no certainty as to the successful candidate until the vote has been taken. A politician who returned from West Peterboro this morning stated that the result was all the more in doubt because of the certainty that all five candidates would poll a big vote. From the standpoint of the West Peterboro, he said, the Government candidate is believed to be in the best position, but with so many diverse elements participating in the fight, it is stated that organization may not count so much as it does in a two-party contest.

Lively Fight.

The five candidates involved in the by-election are now engaged in one of the liveliest political battles ever staged in this constituency. With the exception of J. C. Campbell, the U.F.O. nominee, and Thomas J. Gray, the Labor candidate, all have opened up committee headquarters and a small army of workers are striving to clean up the voters' lists before they are closed. While the actual registration was concluded last Saturday evening, there still remains through the medium of the county judge, one more chance of getting on the lists.

J. H. Graham, ex-M.P., has filed his nomination papers and made his deposit. "I am now ready for the polling," he declared.

C. H. Gordon, Liberal candidate, completed his organization last evening and promised to set a lively pace. Women organizers have been enlisted to look after the women's vote and special quarters opened for their convenience.

The R. Denne (Government) interests have been at work for over two weeks and have started their canvass of the city with a large force of workers, including a number from outside, and are conducting an intensive campaign with the tariff as the main issue. It will be another week before there is much stirring in the Labor and U.F.O. candidates' campaign.

SINN FEIN EMISSARY BARRED BY AUSTRALIA

Melbourne, Jan. 14.—Osmond Gratian Esmonde, regarded as a "Sinn Fein emissary," refused yesterday to take the oath of allegiance and was in consequence again refused permission to land in Australia.

Re-Elected Mayor for Third Term: Robert J. Porter



EVEN "P.R." FATHER SPOILED BALLOT

Every Imaginable Way of Killing Votes Demonstrated

Must Await Count of Choices to Judge Results of System

Proportional representation apparently had few friends at polling headquarters when the count of votes was started last night.

The trouble of changing their ballot-marking habits came early for some people. William Marchant, known as the father of proportional representation in Victoria, who through the newspapers and at meetings has been advancing the plan, has got into the habit of using figures instead of crosses on their ballots, observed the day that he has been awaiting for twenty-four years by going into the booth and forthwith spoiling his ballot.

"I don't mind telling the joke on myself," said Mr. Marchant. "I've had a lot of marks crossed for long that when I open my ballot instinctively started to use the old marks. There must have been lots of persons who were caught off guard the way I was. But with a little more experience, it will be natural to mark ballots with figures as it has been with crosses."

After he spoiled his ballot, Mr. Marchant took it back to the clerk and got another.

Major Also Fell.

The next man to come up and spoil his ballot was Mayor Porter.

"The instant I marked a cross on my ballot I realized that I had made a mistake," the Mayor explained. "It is hard to overcome old habits."

With only two candidates to vote on in the Mayoralty race, nearly seven per cent. of the ballots were spoiled. What the proportion of spoiled ballots will be in the aldermanic booths will be, where there was a greater opportunity to make mistakes, is not known yet.

Ballot Slaughter Too Great.

In the School Trustee booths some persons indicated their three first choices by marking 7, 8 and 9 on their ballot, instead of 1, 2 and 3. The reason for this style of marking was not discovered last night, but it is supposed to be a result of some of the theories that were developed in the private discussion clubs that have been raging all over the city during the last few days on proportional representation.

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Mayor Porter Accorded Big Majority at Polls

Robert J. Porter was re-elected Mayor of Victoria yesterday for a third consecutive term by a majority of 913 votes over his opponent, Alderman Joseph Patrick. The Mayor received 2,517 votes as against 1,604 cast for Alderman Patrick, and 256 ballots were spoiled.

The majority accorded the Mayor is one of the largest on record here and is 300 greater than the majority by which Mr. Porter beat Alderman A. E. Todd two years ago.

The result of the Mayoralty election was never in doubt last night from the moment when counting of the ballots commenced.

The Mayor took the lead and held it throughout and the size of the majority became the only question.

Initially he had been elected by a big majority, and a large throng pressed about him to voice its congratulations.

Neither candidate witnessed the counting both having retired to their homes before the polls closed. Mayor Porter appeared in time to see that he had been elected by a big majority and a large throng pressed about him to voice its congratulations.

His Worship sought refuge in his office at the City Hall in a short time, however, and composed the following statement, which he gave out to the press:

"I am naturally elated by the result. I feel, however, that the substantial majority which the people of Victoria have honored me with is not a tribute only to myself but to the entire Council, which worked faithfully with me all year for the advancement of the city's interests."

London, Jan. 14.—Authorities in Egypt are reported to have discovered another conspiracy similar to that of the "Avengers' Society," an alleged anti-British organization, uncovered last Fall, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Cairo, dated Wednesday. The details add the findings have not yet been made public.

The plotting organization discovered last Autumn was alleged to be a society organized to carry out assassinations on political personages, including the Sultan and his Ministers, and was commonly known as the "Vengeance Gang." In October last 29 members of the organization were convicted of conspiracy by a court which had been trying them for several weeks. Numerous assassinations and attempted murders were credited to this society.

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Conspiracy Similar to That of "Avengers' Society"

London, Jan. 14.—John Doughty was formally arraigned before Judge Coatsworth in the criminal court yesterday afternoon on charges of stealing \$105,000 of Victoria Bonds, the property of Ambrose J. Small, the missing theatre owner of this city, and conspiring to kidnap Small, and pleaded not guilty to each charge. The trial of Doughty was postponed three weeks at the request of Doughty's counsel, I. F. Helmuth, K. C.

SIR WM. GAGE DEAD.

Toronto, Jan. 14.—Sir William Gage, well-known philanthropist, died here to-day at 1 o'clock.

Bedouins and Druses Wage Warfare in Syria

London, Jan. 14.—Severe fighting between Bedouins and Druses in Syria is reported in a Cairo dispatch to the Central News.

The Druses are said to have lost 1,500 killed, but it is asserted the remnants of their forces are preparing for a counter offensive.

The Bedouins are one of the nomadic tribes inhabiting Syria, Arabia and Northern Africa. The Druses inhabit the ranges of Lebanon and have for 800 years maintained their independence. The race is warlike and for the most part adhere to a peculiar religious belief which combines the doctrines of the Old Testament, the Christian Gospel, the Koran and other faiths of the East.

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PREMIER OF GREECE HATES VENIZELOS

Rhallis Regards Him as Political Adventurer

Athens, Jan. 14.—Demetrios Rhallis, the new Greek Premier who succeeded Venizelos when the latter was defeated in the elections last Autumn, hates the sight of Venizelos and has by no means always been an admirer of Constantine, who now has been recalled as King.

Rhallis regards Venizelos as a political adventurer, and this may be due to the fact that when Venizelos came from Crete to Athens and gained the political ascendancy, Rhallis' reputation as a politician was somewhat damaged.

In his long political career, the new Premier has generally been at loggerheads with the Crown. He often had to oppose the late King George and it was not until Constantine was dethroned by the Entente powers that Rhallis really regarded him seriously. This action of the Entente, however, converted Rhallis to become a supporter of Constantine's cause and, since 1916, he has been devoted to that ruler.

Rhallis is one of the most interesting characters in Greece. He is a polished statesman and is often referred to as a "dear old man." (He is about 80).

His favorite pets are goats and fowls, which he owns in great numbers, and feeds with his own hands. When not in public office, he practices his profession in the law. In his younger days he spent a considerable fortune in politics.

**SINN FEIN ARMY
TOTALS 200,000 MEN**

Montreal, Jan. 14.—A Montreal Star cable from Dublin says:

"The Sinn Fein organization has 200,000 men under arms in Ireland, it was stated authoritatively.

"This republican army represents five per cent of Ireland's population. The army has military discipline, and is organized to some groups, with commanders of each, all under order from a central headquarters, is partially uniformed and has a number of secret arsenals and armories.

"The Sinn Fein army of 200,000 comprises men ranging in age from 18 to 30.

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WIDER LEGISLATION TO PUNISH CRIME

New York State Plans More Drastic Measures

New York, Jan. 14.—Legislators in this State served notice during New York's crime wave that in the next session they intend introducing measures to provide greater punishment for highwaymen and burglars.

With daring robberies becoming every day occurrences, the courts here quickly decided to mete out maximum punishment wherever possible and raised bail to insure keeping criminals behind bars.

A study of existing laws in various States shows that in three, burglary by death, and in four robbery should the maximum punishment be applied.

First degree burglary may be punished by death in North Carolina and Virginia by means of electricity, and in Delaware by hanging. Alabama and Virginia's laws provide the maximum of death in robbery cases, while Nevada specifies death for train robbers, and Texas for robbery accomplished by means of deadly weapons.

Several States provide for life imprisonment, or for terms up to life in burglary cases. The life punishment is possible in Massachusetts, Florida, Iowa, Ohio, Rhode Island and South Carolina, while in Maine the law merely provides "any term of years" making it possible to impose a sentence which virtually means life. New York, Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota accomplish the same end by stipulating that burglary shall be punished by "not less than ten years."

Other States vary from maximum punishments of 40 years in Utah and 30 years in New Hampshire, to only seven years in Virginia, which provides for 10 years and \$10,000."

Burglary may be punished by life imprisonment in Idaho, Rhode Island, Texas, Oregon, Utah, Illinois, Massachusetts, Michigan and Hawaii. California provides for "not less than one year." The least severe penalty is that of Connecticut, which stipulates "not more than seven years." In most states the maximum varies from 15 to 20 years.

In view of present conditions, however, bills are being prepared for introduction in several States to increase the maximum penalty to death or life imprisonment.

**SOCIAL FUNCTIONS HIT
BY DUBLIN CURFEW**

Dublin, Jan. 14.—The 10 o'clock curfew, lately put into effect, hit Dublin a hard blow. The city had accommodated itself easily to midnight closing hour previously in force, but the 10 o'clock curfew has completely discontinued all social functions in the evening. The result has been to kill all the trade serving such events.

The great stores are almost idle, and the managers of some of the most popular of them say that they are operating at a loss. There is no demand for new dresses.

The public are suffering most. At one hour the first night after curfew there were only eleven people in the auditorium. The moving picture houses are doing better, but they all have to close at nine to enable their patrons to get home before the curfew hour. The music halls which used to open at two houses a night have now only one. As they were always full for each performance this means cutting off their income.

The tramway company's cars are now nearly empty in the evenings. They lately raised the fares by parliamentary authority to enable them to meet increased expenses, but the drop due to the curfew has more than wiped off the additional receipts.

The regulation is declared to be imposed in the interest of the public to induce them to avoid the risks of being abroad after dark. In present conditions, even if there were no curfew, many people would be too timid to leave home in the evenings.

Still there is much criticism of the imposition of a curfew at 10 o'clock at night, provoked by assassinations which took place at nine o'clock in the morning.

DUNCAN COUNCIL

Duncan, Jan. 14.—The municipal elections yesterday resulted in all the old members of the Council being re-elected, the following being the result of the poll: H. W. Dickie, 140; H. F. Prevost, 119; T. Smither, 118, and R. R. Whidden, 116, all elected. Mayor Pitt and the School Trustees and Police Commissioners were returned by acclamation.

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"TAG DAYS" IN BERLIN.

Berlin, Jan. 14.—"Tag days" have been instituted in Berlin and other cities to raise money for the relief of children and indigent mothers of whom it is said the American Friends' Society (Quakers) alone received \$50,000 in 1920. In Berlin the Quakers are issuing rations daily to 150,000 mothers and children. The number is reported increasing as the winter advances.

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ELECTION RESULTS IN OTHER CENTRES

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 14.—Charles E. Tisdall was definitely elected an alderman for the city on the proportional representation system of balloting.

Other candidates in the order of their number of first choices were: J. E. McCrae, T. Cronin, T. H. Tracy and W. J. Scribbens.

School Trustees elected were: Messrs. J. W. Prescott, E. G. Mathewson and F. J. Nicholson.

Messrs. Jonathan Rogers and William O. Jones were elected to the Board of Park Board.

This is the first election in this city under the new way of balloting, and it may take all of Friday to complete the count. The delay is causing great disappointment to the citizens.

Although all school and money by-laws secured majorities, none received the necessary three-fifths majority, and were declared defeated, as also was daylight saving.

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THE FIRST TEST.

The family of reform measures which, although beautiful in theory and flawless on paper, have proved tragic failures when subjected to practical test, has become very numerous and is growing rapidly every year. It would be unfair at this stage to include proportional representation as demonstrated in Victoria yesterday among them, not only because it was the first occasion on which the new system has been tried here, but because the counting not having been completed, it is impossible to contrast its merits with its defects. But of one thing we may be sure, and that is that unless the public is convinced that subsequent applications of the system will be free from the hopeless confusion and complication which marked yesterday's experience, it will consign proportional representation, notwithstanding its advantages, to the limbo of things not wanted. That is what Nelson and New Westminster did after their first experiences. It may not be altogether complimentary to the electorate to say that it prefers convenience and ease in voting, above all else, and that not only in Victoria but everywhere else where representative government exists very little discouragement is needed to keep a large proportion of it from the polls, but it is a substantial fact. The average electorate is still a long way from perfection. Hence, it should not be rushed too hastily along the highway that leads to the Millennium.

THE ELECTION.

One of the pleasant features of the mayoralty campaign was the absence of hard feelings and unkink words. Both aspirants for the honor indulged in good natured raillery; but in their platform utterances and their observations to the newspapers neither took refuge in the sort of campaign material which leaves an ugly mark on victor and loser alike.

The result naturally indicates that the majority of those who voted were perfectly satisfied with the manner in which His Worship Mayor Porter has discharged his duties during the two years in which he has occupied the position of First Magistrate. His victory over an equally popular opponent was a decisive one and we join in the congratulations to His Worship which already have been tendered to him by his opponents and friends alike. Mr. Patrick's concern for the well-being and progress of the community will not be diminished by yesterday's defeat.

It is an unfortunate circumstance, however, that out of an electoral roll of more than ten thousand voters considerably less than half the number discharged their annual duty. Apathy to this extent is deplorable and does not bespeak that interest in the affairs of the community which the city in general has a right to expect from its adult population. It affords striking commentary upon the attitude invariably adopted towards the administration of municipal affairs when those elected by popular vote appear to fall below the standard measured by a critical electorate which itself failed in its duty.

The people alone are responsible for the government they get. This is one of the axioms of democratic rule. And if yesterday's election should provide any sort of unsatisfactory sequel in the management of the city's affairs the qualified voter should have no ground for complaint. In the meantime it is the duty of every citizen to give his and her support to the new Council.

With the personnel of the aldermanic board uncertain at this

stage it is possible only to speculate upon the position of preference to which those better known candidates may attain upon the completion of the count. The election as first choice of Aldermen Todd, Sangster, and Dewar, as well as a new-comer to the aldermanic field in the person of Captain Aitken, in the initial count entitles the quartette to congratulations.

THE SCHOOL BOARD.

Perhaps the most significant phase of the municipal contest was the vote polled by Magistrate Jay upon his re-entry into the realm of school administration. It must have afforded himself a considerable amount of satisfaction, while his return to the Board to whose duties he has given a great amount of time and study for many years promises to that highly important branch of civic government the benefits of his advice and judgment. The comparatively small margin which separates Mr. Jay's prospective colleagues on the first count lends a good deal of uncertainty to any attempt to name the remaining two successful candidates. Fortunately, however, the material from which the choice will be made is such as to guarantee a body fully alive to its responsibilities and capable of discharging the obligation it will be called upon to assume.

SAANICH AN EXAMPLE.

By its general progressiveness and particularly through its sound financial administration the Municipality of Saanich may well take unto itself the role of an example to many other larger and more fortunately circumstanced communities. It is largely on this account that there appears to be every justification for the electorate of Victoria's enterprising neighbor to renew its confidence in Reeve Watson and the two members of his Council who are contesting their seats by insuring their election to-morrow.

AUSTRIA ON THE VERGE.

Austria's plight is one of the most melancholy spectacles on the European horizon. It has become comparatively easy to feel sorry for what is left of that stolen mass of territory which once was ruled by the Hapsburgs. But the danger which will attend a collapse of the existing reminders of law and order may not retain its local significance very long. A nation hungry and without visible means of subsistence quickly falls a prey to sinister influences nowadays. If for no other reason there is work here for the League of Nations. Austria has been admitted to membership and the obligation involved should be reciprocal.

GOLF LINKS PROJECT.

In its decision to proceed with the construction of a brand new eighteen-hole golf links The United Service Club has commenced the performance of a signal service to the City of Victoria and the adjacent communities. At its meeting last night the members of the organization pledged their whole-hearted support to the enterprise, and if no unforeseen obstacles obtrude the publicity literature of the Victoria and Island Development Association should be able to announce this highly important recreational development early this year.

READING WELCOMED.

Even the Nationalist press in India welcomes the appointment of Lord Reading as Viceroy. In almost every direction his coming has been heralded as the forerunner of an era of peace and prosperity. Although qualified to some extent by the optimism of those newspapers which are loud in their denunciation of native intrigue, the selection of the Lord Chief Justice for such a highly important post at a stage in Indian evolution in which an unusual condition of unrest is manifest, appears to have appealed to native as well as Anglo-Indian sentiment and imagination. And if his period of office should set a practical solution to India's difficulties, and a fuller measure of self-government in which native aspiration may expand without danger of disturbing the imperial tie, the appointment will be blessed indeed.

NOTE AND COMMENT

As a general rule Victoria's municipal elections provide no surprises.

When the United Service Golf Club has operated its new links for five years our prediction is that the City will regret the by-law was defeated.

It is gratifying to know that if the comet which makes its appearance every 5,893 years should chance to smite the Earth ever so slightly next June there will be no necessity to postpone even one game of the Summer baseball series.

The United States will lend Greece \$32,000,000 if the Hellenic Kingdom agrees to spend it all in America upon material other than that used for war. There should be little wrong with an investment of that sort; it is a "European entanglement" which should appeal to the average American.

Forty-three per cent. of Victoria's qualified municipal electorate went to the polls yesterday. For the next twelve months one hundred per cent. of the electorate and one hundred per cent. of the population beyond the school age will grumble about the way the city is governed. The elected administrators will be justified in telling fifty-seven per cent. of the voters to go for a walk.

OTHER PAPERS' VIEWS**A SUGGESTION.**

(From The St. John Telegraph). The hard times following the Franco-Prussian war made the French a nation of money-savers, and in the last forty years France became one of the wealthiest countries in the world. History is repeating itself, it is said, with respect to France, and there are signs that the British people are also practising thrift and economy in some such way. A New York congressman has submitted a novel suggestion regarding the habit of saving. She points out that if one will save a cent on the first day of January, two cents on the first day of February, four cents on the first day of March, and so on, he will have saved during the year. Here are the amounts as she has set them down:

January	.01
February	.02
March	.04
April	.08
May	.16
June	.32
July	.64
August	.128
September	.256
October	.512
November	.10.24
December	.20.48
Total	\$40.95

As the table shows, the pinch comes in the last two months of the year, but if one were to acquire this habit the savings during the first ten months it would probably be easy enough to take care of the larger amounts in November and December. Altogether, the plan seems to be a good one. Some people would find it possible to make each amount many times larger than the modest sum suggested by the New York actress.

WHERE IT STARTED**SMOKING**

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Smoking was practised by the most primitive people. Tobacco, opium and hemp were the herbs most used. The invention of the pipe, while obscure as to time, comes from the frequent use of herbs having considerate as a sacrifice or for healing purposes. The person or being cured in a portable container with a tube for the smoke was a logical development of this practice.

WHY**DO WE SPEAK OF "DUNNING" A PERSON FOR MONEY?**

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During the early part of the last century there was in England a constable named John Dun, who was a past-master of his profession, an expert in the detection of debtors of all kinds. No job was too hard for him to tackle, no debtor too callous to Dun to prick his conscience or shame him into payment in one way or another.

One of the constable's pet schemes was to call upon the debtors twice, these first two visits he would wear his ordinary clothes. Then if the debt was still unpaid and there was no doubt that the obligation should be paid, Dun would change his dress in some outlandish costume, a scarlet cloak or a pair of green tights, so as to make himself as conspicuous as possible. In this way, in order to further proclaim the reason for his visit, he would return a third time, and it was seldom that the debtor withheld more than one of the terrible announcements of his debt.

Because Constable Dun was so successful in the collection of monies due, he was soon in demand in such cases as "You'll have to send Dun for your money" or "You'll have to Dun him to get it," and the expression persisted long after the constable himself was dead and forgotten.

ISN'T IT

Isn't it soul satisfying to have the boss say you have a misspelled word in that letter and you produce your Little Webster's and prove that he is wrong and that you spelled it correctly?—Stenog.

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LETTERS

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REEVE LOCKLEY REPLIES.

To the Editor:—In answer to several letters and news items that have appeared in the daily press, would like to say in this issue, regarding one who signs himself "Percival" that it is quite true that rate-payers can get all the reasonable information they require by application to the clerk at the Municipal Hall, but here to remind him that the information asked for at last Monday night's meeting by J. Jardine was answered verbally, but not apparently to his satisfaction.

He wanted information that pertained to his question at all, and the Council (rightly to my mind) decided to have the solicitor's advice, which already has been given to Mr. Jardine.

My opponent is now pretending to be quite angry because he cannot rent a hall so that he can hold a public meeting. Now, sir, Mr. Jardine knew very well that he intended to run for the office of mayor, and knew of any opposition on Monday last. I then ordered the hall for one night and no more. Why did he not, as a business man would have done, make his plans accordingly. No, he was too late. Is it not a fair inference that this would be the manner in which he would conduct the business of the municipality if he were elected as Reeve? Sir, we do not want a man of this description, but one who is alert and quick to see what is there first and to be able to conduct the business of the municipality in a thorough up-to-date and businesslike manner.

A. LOCKLEY.
Reeve.

ANSWERS REEVE WATSON.

To the Editor:—Reeve Watson has characterized my letter as containing misstatements. I maintain every statement I made was true. The letter was written for the purpose of showing the start that was made, also the ideas and intentions of the Council in a waterworks measure. It was not a report on waterworks but an attack on the method of presenting a by-law for Gordon Head which the Reeve has not defended, at least not to my mind.

Clause 2 of his letter states that the Council was inundated with trouble caused by the local improvement areas then in existence. This is the first I have heard of such terrible trouble. The larger areas surrounded these smaller areas and they were absorbed, as a matter of course.

The Reeve also stated that the main to Gordon Head was simply deferred. Yes, deferred and interred in the same way that the main to Saanich is deferred or to Saanich.

I can assure him to proceed at once from Royal Oak to that effect.

But the gem of these clauses in his letter states that the Council of 1915 had a bill passed to enable the assessment to be made in the manner "proposed in the new by-law." Mr. Reeve, editor, this is rich. The Reeve stated that the by-law was passed but I can assure him it is not so.

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—Children's Department

Taffeta Ribbon at 25c. a Yd.

Taffeta Ribbon five to eight inches wide; in sky and navy only; regular 50c. On sale at **25c**

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String Shopping Bags, regular 50c. At **10c**

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Women's Nightgowns, Drawers and Corset Covers at Sale Prices

Women's Drawers of white cotton, trimmed with torchon lace. Selling at **50c**
Drawers, in extra large sizes; finished with tucked frill of self material. On sale at **50c**
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Nightgowns, in slip-over and open front styles; trimmed with lace and embroidery. Values to \$3.00. Odd lines to clear at **\$1.90**
Nightgowns of nainsook and mull; in shades of white and pale pink; neatly trimmed with lace, hem-stitching and hand-embroidery. Odd lines clearing at **\$2.90**

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Nightgowns, made from the very best materials, and offered at great reductions.
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Nightgowns, made from silk finish batiste, hemstitched and hand-embroidered in plain white, pale pink, pale blue and mauve. Exceedingly dainty gowns. On sale at **\$2.90**
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—Whitewear, First Floor

DRUG DEPARTMENT NEWS Another Half-Price Sale—Friday and Saturday

The Following List of Every-Day Toilet Needs Going on Sale at HALF PRICE—Shop Early and Ensure Getting Your Choice

50c Palmolive Cold Cream	25c	75c Perfumes in fancy boxes, two for	75c
50c Dylcia Face Cream	25c	35c Perfumes in fancy boxes, two for	35c
35c Regal Cold Cream, 2 for	35c	35c Florida Water, two for	35c
25c Toilet Lanoline, two for	25c	\$1.00 Vie de Peau Hair Tonic, 50c	
\$1.25 Luxor Bath Salts	65c	50c Emulsified Cocoanut Oil, 25c	
25c Sanitol Bath Powder at two for	25c	50c Velnor Shampoo	25c
25c Violet and Borated Talcums, two for	25c	35c Shaving Sticks, two for	35c
75c Ounce French Perfumes, two ounces for	75c	35c Shaving Brushes, two for	35c
\$1.00 Ounce Atkinson's Perfumes, ounce	50c	25c Waterproof Face Rag Holders	25c
Cash Only at These Prices—No Charge, C.O.D. or Phone Orders			
—Drugs, Main Floor			

Here's for Big Business in Men's Shoes To-morrow

Men's Rubber Knee Boots, extra special. At, a pair **\$4.95**

Men's Boots at **\$12.90**
Strictly High Grade Boots, in dark and medium shades, and narrow and medium toes. Old price, \$18.00 Now selling at **\$12.90**

Men's Boots at **\$6.95**
Gunnmetal Calf Boots, in single, welted soles; smart and medium narrow toes. Old price \$10.00 Now **\$6.95**

Men's Fine Quality Brown Calf Brogue Boots, in a smart last and medium weight sole. Old price \$10.00 Now **\$10.90**

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Men's English "K" Boots, in black and brown calf. Drill or leather lined. Now priced at **\$12.90** and **\$15.00**. No higher price.

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Men's Boots, in a large range of styles, including brown and black calf and glazed kid; English lasts with medium or light soles. Wide toe calfskin boots with leather or drill lining. Stout, wet weather boots with leather lining and Goodyear welted double soles. Old price \$10.00 Now **\$8.95**

—Men's Shoes, Main Floor

Bargain Values in Beds, Couches and Springs, To-morrow

Two Only, Glass Beds with continuous posts and four $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch fillers, in satin finish, with ribbon effect; they would make an attractive showing as twin beds, being three feet wide. Priced to sell to-morrow at, a pair **\$65.00**

Two Only, Bed Couches of stout construction, covered with a good grade tapestry; very comfortable and full size; regular \$49.00. On sale at **\$35.00**

One 3 Ft. White Enamel Bed with brass caps and brass rods; regular \$12.50. On sale at **\$9.00**

One 3 Ft. White Enamel Bed with brass caps and brass rods; regular \$17.25. On sale at **\$13.00**

Odd Springs, well made wood framed springs; all sizes. On sale at up front **\$4.00**

—Furniture, Third Floor

A Saturday Bargain in Candy

A Large Quantity of Good Mixed Candy, regular 70c. On sale at, a pound **45c**

Turkish Delight, fresh and wholesome, regular 60c. On sale at, a pound, **45c**

We are clearing all our Fancy Boxes of Chocolates at a reduction of one-third to one-half off the regular price; high-grade chocolates. Take a box home. —Candies, Lower Main Floor

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Another consignment of Men's Clothing has arrived, and we are making the prices low enough to clear them out as rapidly as possible—in fact, we will sell the Suits and Overcoats at just one half of the original prices. Each Suit and Overcoat is in a fashionable model, made from excellent grade material, finished and trimmed in the most approved manner. This is your opportunity to get a dependable suit or overcoat at a surprisingly low price.

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\$25.00 Coats	will sell at	\$12.50
\$30.00 Coats	will sell at	\$15.00
\$35.00 Coats	will sell at	\$17.50
\$40.00 Coats	will sell at	\$20.00
\$45.00 Coats	will sell at	\$22.25
\$50.00 Coats	will sell at	\$25.00
\$60.00 Coats	will sell at	\$30.00
\$70.00 Coats	will sell at	\$35.00

Call at the Men's Clothing Department and examine these exceptional bargains.

—Main Floor—Phone 2820



Special Values for Saturday in Men's Furnishings

Scotch Wool Knitted Gloves, in black, heather and grey shades. Regular \$1.35. On sale at, a pair **\$1.00**
Men's Pigskin Working Gloves, warmly lined and are suitable for rough work. Regular \$1.75. At, a pair **\$1.25**
Men's Union Flannel Shirts, with turn-down collar attached; pocket and band cuff; full size and medium weight. \$3.00 value. On sale at **\$2.25**
Men's Fancy Stripe Flannelette Shirts, with turn-down collar attached, and pocket; light weight shirts for ordinary wear. Values \$2.00. On sale at **\$1.50**
Men's Sweater Coats, Penman's brand; made with military collar and two pockets. A stout knitted Sweater Coat for a working man; shown in various combination colors. Regular \$3.25. On sale at **\$2.39**
Boys' Sweaters, in a heavy rib, with military collar and two pockets; in various colors; sizes 24 to 34. On sale at, each **\$1.69**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor—Phone 2820

Groceteria Daily Bulletin

EARLY MORNING SPECIALS 9 TO 10 O'CLOCK	
B.C. Granulated Sugar, four pounds	53c
Quaker Corn, per tin	17c
Toilet Rolls, 10c value. Three for	22c
Rolled Oats, seven-pound sacks	43c

ALL-DAY SPECIALS

Blueberries, per tin	27c
Tomato or Vegetable Soup, tin	10c
Royal Purple Poultry Specific, excels every known preparation as an egg producer; tins contain 280 doses; should last twenty-five fowls 208 days; \$1.50 tins	\$1.19
St. Charles Milk, tall tins	15c
Currants, two pounds	49c
Not-a-Seed Raisins, package	25c
Almond Paste, half pound	38c
Sun Maid Seeded Raisins, package	31c
Spencer's Special Blend Tea, pound	38c
Olympic Pancake Flour, 45c pkgs.	38c
Household Ammonia, 20c bottles	13c

No. 1 Government Graded Alberta Butter; a superior butter, excellent in taste, texture and color. Special at, a lb. **53c**

Old Dutch Cleanser	9c
Castile Soap, long bars	33c
Bon Ami, per cake	12c
Lux, package	12c
Sunlight Soap, package	29c
Tillison's Rolled Oats, 35c cartons	28c
R.W. Oats, seven-pound sacks, 49c	49c
No. 1 Japan Rice, three-pound cotton sacks	24c
Post Toasties, package	11c
Wild Rose Pastry Flour, ten-pound sacks	58c

Special Values in Bacon, Butter and Cheese

Sugar Cured Side Bacon, sliced. At, a lb.	45c
Dry Salt Back Bacon. At, a lb.	30c
Mild Ontario Cheese. A lb.	35c
Pure Lard, lb.	25c
Spencer's Prime Special Butter. At 58c or 3 lbs. for	\$1.70

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Pure Lard,	55c	Peanut Butter,	20c
2 lbs. for		per lb.	
Lard Compound,	42c	Back Bacon, by the piece or half piece;	42c
2 lbs. for		per lb.	

SPECIAL TO-DAY AND SATURDAY IN GROCERY DEPT.

Singapore Pineapple, sliced; large tins, regular	25c	Shirriff's Extract of Lemon, 2-oz. bottles; regular	35c
value for		value at 2 for	
Hansen's Stuffed Figs and Raisins; 1-lb. boxes, regular	35c	Hansen's Cluster Raisins; 1-lb. boxes, regular	25c
75c for		for	
2-lb. boxes, regular	60c	2-lb. boxes, regular	45c

SPECIAL TO-DAY AND SATURDAY IN CONFECTIONERY DEPT.

Finest Quality Fresh Made Assorted Chocolates; per lb.	45c	Horton's Nut Milk Chocolates, 1/2-lb. bars, regular	30c
or a 5-lb. box	\$2.00	Pop Corn Cones, 6 for	5c

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Excellent quality tweed Suits to fit boys 9 to 15 years. Regular to \$21.00, January Sale \$10.00 Price

OVERCOATS

Loose fitting or belted styles, tailored from heavy or medium weight tweeds; sizes 30 to 35. Regular to \$25.00, January Sale \$15.00

TWEED BLOOMERS

Hard Wearing Tweed Bloomers, in all sizes. Regular \$1.50 to \$3.50, January Sale \$1.50

OILSKIN COATS

Tower's "Fish" Brand Coats to fit boys 4 to 15 years. Regular at \$7.25 and \$7.50, January Sale \$5.00

UNDERWEAR

Boys' lightweight Combinations, fitting 2 to 14 years. Regular \$2.00 and \$2.25, January Sale \$1.50

SHIRTWAISTS

A big variety of attractive colorings to choose from; fitting 6 to 15 years. Special at \$1.00



For Women And Home

SOCIAL PERSONAL

leaving for Vancouver, was "at home" yesterday afternoon at her residence on Vancouver Street, many guests calling at the tea-hour.

Miss Dorothy Lord, Second Avenue West, Vancouver, entertained at a delightful tea. Yesterday afternoon at the home of Miss Madeline MacKenney, who sailed last night on the Empress of Russia for the Orient, where she will be married. The pretty tea table, centred with pink and white carnations, was presided over by Mrs. Thorleif Larsen. Mrs. S. B. Peele and Mrs. G. C. Drasek cut the ices. Those assisting in serving were: Miss Bernie Bain, Miss Margaret Dugrisay and Miss Isobel Phillips, of New Westminster.

Mrs. Regis Michaud, of Berkeley, Calif., who is to lecture before Alliance Francaise, is the guest of Mr. and Miss Agnew, Rockland Avenue, during his stay in the city. The lecture will take place Saturday at 8.30 at Parliament Buildings, and the subject will be Charles Peguy, a young poet who died early in the war.

A. N. Grieve and Mrs. Grieve, of Courtenay; J. McLelland, V. R. Cope, A. McMeans, H. Foothit, H. G. Griffith, R. Herrex and C. Herrex, James Gross, H. J. Carswell, R. A. Rappagan, Mrs. C. N. Love, of Vancouver, and C. H. Shaufer and Mrs. Shaufer, of North Vancouver, are at the Dominion Hotel.

Miss Sybil Street has returned from Vancouver where she accompanied Mrs. Percy Stevenson and Miss Muriel Dunsmuir a few days ago. They have now resumed their journey to England. While in Vancouver Miss Street was the guest of Mrs. W. F. Brougham.

At St. John's Church on January 12, Rev. Fr. A. B. Chadwick solemnized the marriage of Roy Marshall, eldest son of the late J. W. Taylor and Mrs. Taylor, 182 Gorge Road, to Eleanor, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Streetter, "Qu'Appelle" Gorge Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy, of Beresford, Man.; Mrs. McKenzie and John McCoohie, of Portage la Prairie; Miss E. Rinner, of Calgary; Cecil C. Lamb and Will Conn, of Nanton, Alta., are registered at the Dominion Hotel.

Mrs. L. A. Genge, who is shortly

Mr. Ian Macpherson, of Winnipeg, who has been a guest at "Cherry Bank" for the past three months, left this afternoon for Vancouver, where she will spend the remainder of the winter. Yesterday afternoon she entertained officially at tea at the Empress Hotel, in honor of Miss Wood, of Winnipeg, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Blair, Beach Drive.

The Saturday night dances, held at the Alexandra Club under the club auspices are proving very popular. At-morrow night's affair the new admission fee, which has been reduced to meet present financial conditions, will go into effect.

Mrs. Whidden, of Duncan; Mr. and Mrs. Wingate-White, of Mill Bay; T. Madigan and Mrs. Madigan, of Westhorne, are guests at the Do minion Hotel.

David Evans, of Juneau, Alaska; Arthur Topping, of Toronto; Geo. C. Hoy, of Klamloops; Jas. McEvoy, of Toronto, are new arrivals at the Dominion Hotel.

J. Hodgson, P. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. H. Polkey, E. Sanderson, Mrs. G. H. Benson, J. W. Wilkinson, and H. F. Halifax.

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CHILD WELFARE

WORK FOR ISLAND

Municipal Welfare Group Also to Be Formed

At a meeting on Wednesday night last steps were taken towards the formation of a Vancouver Island Council of the Child Welfare Association, following a preliminary discussion held in the Library of the Provincial Buildings. Dr. Raynor had been invited to speak and to investigate the matter at a previous meeting delivered a report. Mrs. R. S. Day, Mrs. Peter MacNaughton, Miss McKilligan, and Miss Wright are included in this committee.

The committee was asked to carry on its work along the lines already investigated, and to work to further the present formation of the organization on the Island. A municipal child welfare council is also to be formed, and E. C. B. Bagshawe and a committee of Mrs. Menkus, Miss McEwan, Messrs. Copeland and Godfrey were selected to foster the municipal organization. Dr. Raynor occupied the chair, with Miss Bertha Wink acting as secretary for the evening.

Arrangements of the most attractive description have been made by the Club executive for the occasion. The Empress Hotel Orchestra, under the direction of T. T. McLean, and Miss Dorothy, of Victoria, will be engaged for the afternoon. The Women's Canadian Club will be the guests of the Women's Canadian Club Tuesday evening.

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SOCIETY EVENTS IN
TERMINAL CITY

Vancouver Set Scatters After
New Year Festivities

(Times Special Correspondent)
Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 14.—After
the New Year festivities, society has
more or less settled down to the
usual round of teas, bridges, and
dances. Many people have left this
week to seek a milder climate. Cal-
ifornia's warm and gay little
villages offering a Circle-like attraction
to those who appreciate sun-
shine. Mrs. John Hendry and her
daughter, Mrs. Eric W. Hamber, are
among those who have left, and intend
to remain here for a month during
Mr. Hamber's absence in the East.
Others who are sojourning in the East
are Mrs. Edward Taylor, Mr. and
Mrs. M. DesBrisay, Miss Eileen
DesBrisay and Miss Berrie DesBrisay,
Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Atkin, Miss
Amy Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Fred
of Banff, Major Patrick Bennett, of
Coldstream, Vernon, left for California
on Sunday morning with his small
son. Major Bennett is a son of
Colonel Bennett, of Victoria, and will
make his home near San Francisco.
With him to be the guest of
Colonel and Mrs. William S. Buell,
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lang have just
returned from the South, and Miss
Margaret Bryan is expected home
within a few days from San
Francisco, where she has been spending a
month or two.

Mrs. Ray Green, of Victoria, who
has been staying with Mr. and Mrs.
A. E. Bull, and Mrs. P. H. Malkin
has been the guest of honor at several
affairs. Dr. and Mrs. Alison Cum-
ming, Shaughnessy Heights, entered
the city on Saturday night as their
guests. Dr. and Mrs. J. H. F. Foy
had their daughter, Mrs. Lillian
MacKenzie, Mrs. T. P. Moorehead, Mrs.
A. J. Hosken, Miss Kitty Armour, Miss
Marjorie Sherwood, Miss Winnifred
London, Miss Joyce Harvey, Miss
Shelia Russell, Miss Ada Coote, Miss
"Girle" Fletcher and Miss Barbara
Hodge.

Miss Dorothy Langford entertained
informally at the tea hour on Tues-
day in honor of Miss Gladys Peters,
of Victoria, and Miss Margaret
Stewart. The guests were: Mrs. H.
J. Eason and Mrs. M. M. Stewart,
Mrs. Mayne D. Hamilton, Mrs.
Harold Ker, Mrs. Lorne Cameron,
Mrs. John Brown, Jr., Miss Finola
O'Farrell, Mrs. J. M. Scott, Mrs.
Davidson Stanley, Mrs. M. A. Van
Rooijen, Mrs. M. C. Foy, Mrs. Lillian
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Another fashionable tea hostess
was Mrs. W. B. Gravely, Barclay
Street, who entertained at a bridge
tea on Wednesday afternoon. The
guests were: Lady Cameron, Mrs. W.
A. Macdonald, Mrs. Willoughby
Brown, Mrs. W. Hodges, Mrs. J. G.
Woods, Mrs. Robert MacKenzie, Mrs.
A. Jukes, Mrs. Thomas Peacock, Mrs.
C. G. Henshaw, Mrs. Taylor Wood,
Mrs. Mason Cooke, Mrs. Brignall,
Mrs. Green, Mrs. Bird, Mrs. H. W.
Brooks, Mrs. Archibald Smith and
Mrs. H. S. Sherrard.

Mrs. Percival A. Anderson and her
daughter Mildred also entertained at
tea recently. Presiding at the tea
table were Mrs. D. McGillivray, Mrs.
G. A. Wilson and Mrs. F. R. McD.
Russell, while Miss Poppy Macdonald,
Miss Janet MacKay, Miss Whitehead
and Miss Barbara Hogg assisted in
serving. A few of the guests were:
Mrs. W. W. Boultrie, Mrs. J. Murray
Lay, Mrs. Newton Burdick, Mrs. Geo.
Lindsay, Mrs. Stephen Thompson,
Mrs. C. C. Cuthbert, Mrs. George
Cherry and Miss Jane Drysdale.

Mrs. J. W. Stewart and Miss Margaret
Stewart left on Thursday for a
trip of several months duration to the
Orient. Mrs. E. W. Hamber was a
hostess at dinner for Mrs. Stewart,
when the guests included Mrs. Kenneth
Stevenson, Mrs. J. L. Davidson,
Captain and Mrs. C. C. Cator, Mr. and
Mrs. Austin Taylor, Major and Mrs.
Montagu Furber, Colonel Fell, Captain
Ian MacKenzie and others. Mrs.
Angus Stewart also entertained in
honor of Mrs. Stewart at a luncheon
at the Shangri-La, Granville St. The
guests were Mrs. Austin Taylor, Mrs.
Newton Burdick, Mrs. George Martin,
Mrs. Reginald Symes, Mrs. R. G. Bed-
lington, Mrs. A. E. Griffis, Mrs. Norman
Whittall, Mrs. Kenneth Stevenson,
Mrs. F. M. Sylvester, Mrs. J. C.
Ross, Mrs. J. W. Lawson and Mrs.
Jack Greenough.

On the Saturday previous to her
departure Mrs. J. W. Stewart was a
hostess at the first of a series of operatic
recitals to be given by Sydney
Francis Hoben. Among the prominent

women who have subscribed for these
affairs are Mrs. Eric Hamber, Lady
Cameron, Mrs. Lorne Cameron, Mrs.
Douglas Carder, Mrs. W. F. Brougham,
Miss Jean Mollison, Mrs. W. E.
Burns, Mrs. W. E. Gravely, Mrs. J. J.
Bainfield, Mrs. R. C. Bidlake, Mrs. C.
F. Covernton, Mrs. George Cowan,
Mrs. J. P. Roberts and many others.
The next recital will be held on
January 15, at the residence of Mrs.
B. T. Rogers, where "The Flying
Dutchman" will be interpreted. Wed-
nesday, January 19, is the next date
set, when Mrs. A. E. Griffin's resi-
dence will be the scene of "The
Jewels of the Madonna," while the
last one will be held on January 22,
at the home of Mrs. T. W. B. London,
when Messenier's "Thais" will be pre-
sented.

Arrivals and Departures.

It is rumored that Mr. and Mrs.
Mischel Cherniavsky will take up
their permanent residence in London,
England. Mrs. Cherniavsky was for-
merly Miss Mary Rogers, daughter of
Mrs. R. T. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Havemeyer and
small daughter, Gloria, who have
been visiting here and Mrs. E. W.
McLean have returned to their
home at Qualicum. Japanese Con-
sul Ukiha of this city is spending
several days in Victoria. E. P. Davis,
K.C., has also left for the Capital to
attend the Court of Appeal. Miss
Mary Gordon of Winnipeg is the guest
of Mr. B. Noble before leaving for
Victoria, where she intends staying
with friends for three or four months.
Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Beck have left
for Cowichan where they will make
their future home. Mrs. Frank
Bowser, "Bryn Mawr," Kerrisdale,
who has been visiting here, will be
about two weeks in a quiet home
surrounded by Miss Margaret Bowser was
hostess at a delightful informal
dance on Monday evening. A recent
visitor in town from the capital was
Garrett M. Hemsworth, of the C.N.R.
An interesting engagement an-
nounced this week was that of Miss
Jean Hamilton, daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. John Hamilton, of the Union Bank,
Winnipeg, to Major Leslie Goodvee,
D.S.O., of Victoria, who is at present
visiting in Winnipeg. Major Good-
eve has many friends in Vancouver
as well as in Victoria.

Several candidates for civic
election addressed the meeting of the
New Era League on Tuesday after-
noon, the president, Mrs. H. Wilson,
was in the chair. A talk was also
given by Mrs. J. H. MacCall, who
spoke on the Testators' Maintenance
Act and on the recent amendments
to the Administration Act which enti-
tles the wife to a large share in her
husband's estate. Mrs. J. K.
Macken, who has been a prominent
candidate for aldermanic honors,
explained her platform thoroughly
and spoke of her earnest wish to co-
operate with the other members of
the council in all ways to better the
city.

The L.O.D.E. is getting ready for
the Provincial Chapter's quarterly
meeting here on January 26. The Sir
Charles Tupper and Seaforth Chap-
ters will serve tea and luncheon on
the occasion.

One of the most interesting events
of the month will be the Fine Arts
Ball at the Hotel Vancouver on Jan-
uary 25. Mrs. Ralph Smith, M.P.P.
will be a guest of honor, and women prominent in social and art
circles will be on the reception com-
mittee.

Mrs. R. H. Gale, wife of the Mayor
of Vancouver will be the city's "first
lady" for a fourth year. She is ex-
tremely popular in society by virtue
of her charming personality and
gracious address.

With plans for several balls, re-
ceptions and so on, there is much to
look forward to in the next few
weeks. H. V. Esmond and his charm-
ing wife, Miss Eva Moore, have been
widely entertained during their stay
here. They were the guests of the
Canadian Club at luncheon, and on
Friday afternoon, Miss Moore was
the guest of honor at the Women's
Canadian Club.

The garnet, to-day's talismanic gem,
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Drummond laid down the paper on his knees, and stared a little dazedly at the club's immortal founder.

"Holy smoke! haddie," he murmured, "that man Peterson ought to be on the committee here. Verily, I believe, he could galvanize the staff into semblance of activity."

"Did you order anything, sir?" A waiter paused beside him.

"No," murmured Drummond, "but I will rectify the omission. Another large tankard of ale."

The waiter departed, and Hugh picked up the paper again.

"We understand," murmured gently to himself, "that Mr. Potts, who has recently been indisposed, has returned to the Carlton. Now that's very interesting. . . . He lit a cigarette and lay back in his chair. 'I was under the impression that Mr. Potts was safely tucked up in bed, consuming semolina pudding, at Goring. It requires elucidation.'

"I beg your pardon, sir," remarked

the waiter, placing the beer on the table beside him.

"You needn't," returned Hugh. "Up to date you have justified my fondest expectations. And as a further proof of my good will, I would like you to get me a frank call—2 X Goring."

A few minutes later he was in the telephone box.

"Peter, I have seldom been so glad to hear your voice. Is all well? Good.

"Don't mention any names. Our guest is there, is he? Gone on strike against more milky puddings, you say. Coax him, Peter. Make a noise like a burglar, and he'll think it's call time.

"There are interesting doings in Belfast, which concern us rather intimately.

"I'll be down later, and we'll have a pow-wow."

He hung up the receiver and stepped out of the box.

"If, Algy," he remarked to a man who was looking at the tape machine outside, "the paper says a blighter's

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worth was still listening in silence to his companion.

"My dear old bean," he murmured ecstatically as Hugh finished, "my very dear old bean. I think it's the most priceless thing I ever heard. Enrol me as a member of the band. And, incidentally, Toby Sinclair is running round in circles asking for trouble. Let's have him in."

"Go and find him this afternoon, Algy," said Hugh rising. "And tell him to keep his mouth shut. I'd come with you, but it occurs to me that the wretched Potts, bathed in tears at the Carlton, is in need of sympathy. I would have him weep on my shoulder awhile. So long, old dog. You'll hear from me in a day or two."

It was as he reached the pavement that Algy dashed after him, with genuine alarm written all over his face.

"Hugh," he spluttered, "there's only one stipulation. An armistice must be declared during Ascot week."

With a thoughtful frown on his face Drummond sauntered along Pall Mall. He had told Longworth more or less on the spur of the moment, knowing that gentleman's capabilities to nicely. Under a cloak of assumed flippancy he concealed an iron nerve which had never yet failed him. And, despite of the fact that he wore an entirely unnecessary eyeglasses, he could see further into a brick wall than most of the people who called him a fool.

It was his suggestion of telling Toby Sinclair that caused the smile. For it had started a train of thought in Drummond's mind which seemed to him to be good. If Sinclair—why not two or three more equally trusty sportsmen? Why not a gang of boys?

Hugh possessed a V.C., and a good one—for there are grades of the V.C., and those grades are appreciated to a nicely by the recipient's brother officers if not by the general public. That was why he would like Toby like a glove. Then there was Ted Jeffries, who combined the roles of an amateur actor of more than average merit with an ability to hit anything at any range with every conceivable type of firearm. And Jerry Seymour in the Flying Corps. . . . Not a bad thing to have a flying man—up one's sleeve. And possibly some one versed in the way of tanks might come in handy.

The smile broadened to a grin; surely life was very good. And then the grin faded, and something like a frown took its place. For he had arrived at the Carlton, and reality had come back to him. He seemed to see the almost headless body of a man lying on the floor. But, shun!

"Mr. Potts will see no one, sir," remarked the man to whom he addressed his question. "You are about the twentieth gentleman who has been here already to-day."

Hugh had expected this, and smiled genially.

"Precisely, my stout fellow," he remarked, "but I may a small favour of you. Now, I'm not. And I think that if you will have this note delivered to Mr. Potts, he will see me."

He sat down at a table, and drew a sheet of paper towards him. Two facts were certain: First, that the man upstairs was not the real Potts; second, that he was one of Peterson's gang, and it was difficult to know exactly how to word the note. There might be some mystic pass-word, the omission of which would prove him an impostor at once. At length he took a pen and wrote rapidly; he would have to chance it.

"Urgent. A message from headquarters."

He folded the envelope and handed it with the necessary five shillings for postage to the man. Then he sat down to wait. It was going to be a ticklish interview if he was to learn anything, but the thrill of the game had fairly got him by now, and he watched eagerly for the messenger's return. After what seemed an interminable delay he saw him crossing the lounge.

"Mr. Potts will see you, sir. Will you come this way?"

"Is he alone?" said Hugh, as they were whisked up in the lift.

"Yes, sir. I think he was expecting you."

"Indeed," murmured Hugh. "How nice it is to have one's expectations realized."

He followed his guide along a corridor, and paused outside a door while he went into a room. He heard a murmur of voices, and then the man reappeared.

"The way, sir," he said, and Hugh stepped inside, to stop with an involuntary gasp of surprise. The man seated in the chair was Potts to all intents and purposes. The likeness was extraordinary, and had he not known that the real article was at Goring he would have been completely deceived himself.

The man waited till the door was closed; then he rose and stepped forward suspiciously.

"Don't you know me?" he said. "Who are you?"

"Since when has every one employed at headquarters known one another?" Drummond returned guardedly. "And, incidentally, your likeness to our lamented friend is wonderful. It very easily deceived even me."

The man, not ill-pleased, gave a short laugh.

"It'll pass. I think. But it's risky. These cursed reporters have been badgering the whole morning. . . . And if his wife or somebody comes over, what then?"

Drummond nodded in agreement.

"Quite so. But what can you do?"

"It wasn't like Ross to bring me in Belfast. He's never left a club before, and he had plenty of time to do the job properly."

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marked Hugh, seizing the obvious clue.

"Are you making excuses for him?" snarled the other. "He's failed, and death is death. Such is our rule. Would you have it altered?"

"Most certainly not. The issues are far too great for any weakness."

"You're right, my friend—you're right. Long live the Brotherhood." He stared out of the window with smouldering eyes, and Hugh preserved a discreet silence. Then suddenly the other broke out again.

"How they killed that insolent puppy of a soldier yet!"

"Ex—not yet," murmured Hugh mildly.

"They must find the American at once." The man thumped the table emphatically. "It was important before—at least his money was. Now with this blunder—it's vital."

"I've already interviewed one man from Scotland Yard, but every hour increases the danger. However, you have a message for me. What it?"

Hugh rose and casually picked up his hat. He had got more out of the interview than he had hoped for, and there was nothing to be gained by

prolonging it. But it struck him that Mr. Potts' impersonator was a man of unpleasant disposition, and that tactfully a flanking movement to the door was indicated. And, being of an impulsive temperament, it was impossible that the real state of affairs should for a moment on his mind. So that as it may, something suddenly aroused the other's suspicious, and with a snarl of fury he sprang past Hugh.

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Conservative Social—There was a large attendance at the first social evening held last night by the Conservative Club in their new quarters in the Campbell Building. In the five hundred tournament, Mrs. Osborne and Mr. Evans won the first prizes. Robert's orchestra was in attendance and dancing was indulged in after the card tournament. Many new members were signed up after the affair.

Two Tolmie Meetings—Because it has been found impracticable to convert the official meeting of Ward Two ratepayers, to be held this evening in the Tolmie School, into a ward election by law debate, opponents of the bylaw are endeavoring to arrange for the holding of a special meeting in another room of the school at the same time as the official gathering. Should the proposal be effected, Reeve Watson will be urged to speak as soon as he has made his annual report to the formal gathering.

I.O.D.E. Reception—The Municipal Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, have completed arrangements for a public reception to be tendered to Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Esmond (Eve Moore) on Thursday afternoon next from 3 till 5 o'clock. The affair will be held in the Empress Hotel ballroom, when it is hoped all members of the order and their friends will avail themselves of the opportunity of making the personal acquaintance of the distinguished actor and actress.

Marooned Chinaman Dies—Sling Yuen, one of two ancient Chinamen living on Mary Island near Sidney, was found dead in his cabin yesterday afternoon by Provincial Constable H. Bishop, of Sidney. The fact that no smoke was apparent in the shack caused the Constable to make a trip to Mary Island, when it was found that the boat used by Sling and Won Hong, another Chinaman past eighty, had been blown away by the recent gales. Sling had died from the effects of want on an ancient man, while Hong had been foodless for some days. One of the Chinese Benevolent Societies has offered to take care of the living Chinaman.

Dollar Lunches Restored—The Great Northern Railway, commencing with January 10 will re-establish on a working basis the popular dollar lunches on their trains, it was announced to-day by W. R. Dale, local agent. The dollar lunch was one of the most popular features of the Great Northern in pre-war days,

but the increased cost of food made

the service prohibitive, and the dollar lunch was abandoned to be established now.

Supreme Court Chambers—In Supreme Court Chambers this morning an application was made by Frank Higgins, K.C., on behalf of the Canadian Financiers, Limited, to have the remuneration fixed by the court in connection with the estate of Chan Hong Fook. Col. Dorrell, manager of the firm, is also guardian of the infant children and His Lordship is asked to decide whether the guardian is also entitled to remuneration. W. P. Merchant and Patrick Sinnott appeared for some of the beneficiaries.

Should Heat Rooms—Complaints have been made to the Victoria and Island Development Association by quite a number of prairie people that in many cases rooms which they have rented in the city are insufficiently heated. They explain that coming from a cold dry climate they are very susceptible to the cold, which they have not yet become accustomed and as a result quite a number of prairie people have been known to continue further South in search of warmer accommodation.

Army and Navy Meeting—The fourth annual general meeting of the Army and Navy Veterans' Association was held last night in the Cadet Hall. The men in charge reported were read showing progress made during the past year. Plans were also discussed for the future. A resolution of protest was passed at the action of the Ottawa Government in reducing by \$10.00 the allowance paid to wounded soldiers in the C.S.C. and other hospitals, which went into effect in November. The matter will be taken up with the Dominion authorities.

Weekly Shoot—Some very good scores were made in the weekly shoot of the 16th Canadian Scottish Regiment. The ladies are making some very good scores at the 25 yards range. Miss Dover leads this week's shoot with 98 points. In the men's team there were three possible scores made by H. W. Burton, Major Richardson and F. W. Harding. The scores were: Ladies—Miss A. Dover, 85; Miss D. Richardson, 96; Miss E. Morris, 94; Mrs. R. Faulkner, 92; Mrs. Monckton Case, 88; and Miss L. Wood, 88. Men—H. W. Burton, 100; Major Richard-

son, 100; F. W. Harding, 100; A. E. Ashe, 98; and Mr. Dodsworth, 95.

Scouts Give Display—At the Christ Church School the Fieldays Troop of Boy Scouts last night gave an excellent display of gymnastics and shadowwork part of an entertainment presided over by the Very Rev. Dean Quaifton. Bishops also contributed to the programme.

Business will be combined with pleasure at the general meeting of the Board of Trade which will be held in the Cadet Hall, commencing at 7.30 o'clock this evening. An early start has been arranged in order that business may be disposed of and the programme of music and other entertainment begun.

Every member of the Board of Trade is urged to attend this meeting, as it will be decided to-night whether the Constitution and By-laws as recommended by the directors shall be approved or not. In addition to this, the important question of selecting a new name will be decided, as the name of Commerce is the name which has been popularly mentioned for some time back as the new name for the local organization but there are other members who think that no change should be made.

The Board is now ready to get down to real work and to-night's meeting, being the first general gathering since the big membership drive, it is expected that there will be a number of real good suggestions for the development of the city and island will be brought down.

Yester evening a meeting of the Forum Committee under the chairmanship of Jack Scott was held.

A meeting for the Members' Forum will be held shortly at which members of interest will be discussed.

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EDDIE OATMAN

AUSTRALIANS GET GOOD START IN THEIR THIRD TEST MATCH WITH M.C.C.

Adelaide, Australia, Jan. 14. (Canadian Associated Press) — The third test match between the visiting English cricket team and an eleven representative Australian team here this morning, at the close of play the home team had scored 313 for seven wickets. The feature of the day's play was a brilliant innings by Collins, of Australia, for 162.

One Wing Converging.

In the past the Australian have systematically converged but from one wing. Oatman usually starts to work in after passing the blue line, but Meeking has a tendency to hang on to the boards and many of his long passes to centre ice have been intercepting the puck.

The strategy board got an edge that Meeking might draw in better if he was shoved over to the right wing. Eddie Oatman can play either wing, so his shift to left will not affect his play. In fact, it may limit his shooting ability, as it will place him in a better position in front of the net.

It May Turn Trick.

In practices this week Meeking and Eddie have been working in their new positions and they showed remarkably well. The players have hunch that this switch may bolster the strength of their attack and Lester Patrick may decide to give the new front a try-out this evening.

The game to-night is arousing great excitement in the city. The seating plan at the Victoria Arena has practically sold out late this afternoon and it is possible that several hundred standing tickets will be disposed of. The rush seats will no doubt go exceptionally strong again.

With a full house, the spectators will have the firm intention of humbling the Millionaires. The Cookies are not anxious to go under as they suffered a severe check in Seattle on Wednesday night and another loss to-night would mean two games down on the league leaders. However, the Aristocrats are keen to win in order to pull out of the rut.

The best hockey pyrotechnics are always provided in the Victoria-Vancouver clashes. The inter-city rivalry is as much apparent in hockey as it is in other things.

Both teams are in the best of condition so that no alibis will be accepted on that score after the game. The final word from Lester Patrick is as follows:

"We're going out to do our best. We want the game and will play hard as it is in other things."

The probable line-up will be as follows:

Bays and Cardinals.
The game at Oak Bay is between the Bays and the Cardinals, and should furnish the spectators with a series of thrills. Their last contest ended in a scoreless draw, after one of the most grueling battles seen this year. Both of the fifteen have a large percentage of youngsters, and can always go the full distance at fast clip.

The Cardinals are younger and have had more practise and may win. The Bays on the other hand are very aggressive, and have not lost a match up to the present.

All four teams are very well matched, if the ground is at all good some very fair rugby should be seen.

The next McKechnie Cup game will be on January 22 at Oak Bay, when the local fifteen expect to win from the mainlanders.

H. Gillespie will referee the Cardinals and Bays game at Oak Bay tomorrow.

The Teams.

The Cardinals team will line up as follows: Full back, R. Goodacre; C. Cowan; Goal, Lehman; C. Loughlin; Defence, Duncan Johnson; Defence, Cook; W. Loughlin; Rover, McKay; H. Meeking; R. Wing, Skinner; Frederickson; Centre, J. Matson; Oatman; R. Wing, Harris; Desford; Utility, Desford; G. Meeking; Utility, W. Adams; Captain.

ISLAND CLUBS GRAB MAINLAND PLAYERS

Vancouver, Jan. 14. — Alleging that Island clubs are coming along and approaching local players, offering them good inducements to play on the Island, the local executive of the B. C. P. F. A. will recommend to the provincial governing body that an investigation be held immediately and that the practice be stopped. It was decided to hold the next meeting on January 26.

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HARD RUGBY GAMES SLATED TO-MORROW

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The resumption of the Barnard Cup League rugby matches on Saturday will produce some very fine competition. The Wanderers play the Old Boys at the University School grounds and will be referred by T. A. Sutcliffe.

In their last clash the Old Boys were the first to score, but were out-generaled by their more experienced opponents. This time the Collegians, who have put in some strenuous training, figure that they can turn the tables on last year's champions.

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As there are quite a few expert quoits in the city club, the management has decided on a series of matches between its members to place an all-star team in the contests that are now being arranged with other clubs.

The handicaps will be carried as usual, in two series and one inter-club match every Saturday at 2 p.m.

Last Saturday J. Jeffries beat Tom Alexander in the first series, and C. Liedt beat R. Tilden. Both of these players gave a brilliant display.

The club membership is growing steadily, and Victoria now has the largest club in B. C. and probably the finest ground, which enables six games to be played at one time.

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Leonard Risking Title
To-night for Dear France

New York, Jan. 14.—Benny Leonard, the lightweight champion, will defend his title in Madison Square Garden to-night in a fifteen-pound bout to a decision with Ritchie Mitchell, of Milwaukee. Deducting the fighters' share, the receipts will be turned over to the American Fund for devastated France.

Leonard's share will be \$40,000, and Mitchell has been guaranteed \$20,000.

HERMAN DEFEATED ENGLAND'S PRIDE

Jimmy Wilde Went Out of His Class to Meet Pete and Lost in Hard Fight

Midgets Served London Fans With Great Scrap; Herman Was Over-weight

London, Jan. 14.—Pete Herman, the former American bantamweight champion, won over Jimmy Wilde last night. The referee stopped the battle and awarded the decision to Herman in the seventeenth round.

Wilde was sent to the floor three times in the seventeenth and the referee stopped the contest to save Wilde, who was helpless.

Fifteenth Was Good.

There was a terrific fight on the ropes in the fifteenth. Herman, with left to the ribs and right to the jaw, appeared to have Wilde half out, but was unable to finish him before the bell.

At the fourteenth round Herman was considered to have the advantage of the fighting so far as points were concerned, although Wilde was still fighting gamely.

Herman was supposed to make 118 pounds for Wilde but was overweight when the men were called to the ring. Wilde showed his sportsmanship and agreed to fight, but said he would still claim the flyweight title in case he was defeated.

The Prince Was There.

Ten thousand persons, including the Prince of Wales and other notables, witnessed the contest and evinced enthusiasm throughout the fight, especially in the fifteenth round, when there was a terrific battle.

In their last clash the Old Boys were the first to score, but were out-generaled by their more experienced opponents. This time the Collegians, who have put in some strenuous training, figure that they can turn the tables on last year's champions.

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TO CONSULT WITH GOVERNMENT UPON DAYLIGHT SAVING

Mayor to Press For Bath By-law Next Summer
ANNOUNCES OTHER PLANS FOR 1921

Though besieged with people who wanted to shake his hand and congratulate him in his overwhelming success at the polls yesterday, Mayor Porter found time this morning to announce important plans which he hopes to put into effect this year.

The Mayor's announcements were as follows:

(1) Daylight saving, having been emphatically endorsed by all voters at the polls yesterday, the Civic Legislative Committee will be asked to confer with the Provincial Government in order to acquaint it with Victoria's attitude on the matter. If no action is taken by the Provincial Legislature at its meeting next session, daylight saving all over the Province, then the City Council will consider when the system should go into effect here.

(2) In accordance with his platform promise, the Mayor will ask the Civic Legislative Committee to investigate the swimming bath question and propose a tangible concrete swimming bath proposition to be laid before the electors next summer in the form of a money-by-law.

(3) The Civic Legislative Committee will be asked further to consult with the Provincial Government to ascertain whether or not money can be secured for the construction of houses for civilians under the same terms as were allowed under the Soldiers' Housing Scheme.

(4) The assistance of the Council in pressing to a conclusion the movement to establish the establishment of a new hospital here will be offered to the Kiwanis Club, which is conducting a new hospital campaign.

Plenty of Time.

"We have plenty of time to decide about daylight saving," the Mayor remarked to-day when discussing these matters. "The Provincial Government or the Legislature will make the system province-wide, then there is no need for action on our part. We shall find out what they intend to do before we move. Then if no action is taken by them, the Council will have plenty of time to consider the matter and decide whether daylight saving should be put into force.

"It is my desire that the swimming bath question should be investigated fully and from every angle before any action is taken upon it. The Legislative Committee, I propose, should do this, and when it has done so, the waterworks extension by-law will be put beyond that into force.

"The new by-law will be administered by a commission of three, who will see that the law is rigidly enforced. People who want to buy liquor will take out permits at \$5 a year. Visitors who come to town for the same purpose, for no matter whether they want just a couple of drinks or want to indulge for a month, commissioners will likely decide how much liquor permit-holders may have.

E. AND N. TRAINS HELD UP BY SLIDE

Caused by recent heavy rains, a mud slide near Goldstream prevented Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company trains from proceeding Up-Island to-day. The morning train was forced to turn back, but the afternoon train continued on time. Every effort is being made to clear away the mud, and it is hoped that the train may be able to make its way past the slide some time this afternoon.

"NEAR BEER" TO BE BANISHED FOR STRONGER BREW

No Hard Liquor For Hotels, Minister Says in Control Forecast

"Near beer" is to be banished and its place taken by a brew about three per cent., and this will be served in hotel dining-rooms with meals or in roadside fashion at little conversational tables between meals, according to the forecast of the new Government Central measure given out by Attorney-General Farris. The bill is now being drafted for the Legislature, which, of course, may change it any time it sees fit.

Hotels will get their supplies of beer from the Government liquor department and will not be allowed to get any stuff direct from breweries. There will be no revival of the bar. It is aimed to provide decent conditions for the consumption of beer, so that there will be no temptation to play with bootleg product or to get beyond that into the whisky.

Whisky or drunkenness will not be tolerated in any hotel, and hotelagers offending against the law will be fined with imprisonment. Boys and girls under 21 years are likely to be protected against the consumption of beer. An appeal will be made urging people to be temperate, especially young people.

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OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred yesterday at Fort William, Ont., of W. L. Lucas, survivor of a brother and two sisters who died with his wife, Mrs. Oscar Lucas, Yates Street, merchant, and the Misses Mary and Johanna Lucas, the former principal of the King's Road School. The late Mr. Lucas left the world's wards of twenty years ago. He is also survived by four children, of whom he having passed away a few years ago.

The remains of the late Mrs. Eleanor Elizabeth Francis Macdonald, widow of Joseph Macdonald, a former, were laid at rest in the churchyard of St. Mary's, Somenos, yesterday morning. Rev. A. Bischlager officiated. Many beautiful flowers paid tribute to the esteem in which she was held by the sorrowing community. Among the survivors were representatives of the King's Daughters of which Order Mrs. Macdonald was an active member for many years. The pallbearers were: F. G. Smithson, James Griege, W. M. Dwyer, F. H. Price, W. Kier and J. I. Mutter.

COURT OF APPEAL

Claim For Damages For Loss of Goods in Storage Argued.

In the case of the Wales Estate, wherein an appeal was made to the Court of Appeal to have the executors of the deceased increased, it has been agreed that the Appellant's claim should be fixed at \$350, together with costs of the appeal. The Court has reserved judgment in the appeal of Aghion (Appellant) vs. Stevens.

Judgment was reserved to-day in the appeal of Rex vs. McKenzie (Appellant). This was in connection with a conviction on a charge of selling liquor containing over two per cent. alcohol. The contention was made that there was no guilt, that the sale was made by an employee and that the beer was sold bona fide and with a guilty mind. The court of appeal of defendant, who was fined \$20 in New Westminster, G. E. Martin appeared for the Crown and W. W. McInnes for defendant.

The case of Maunsell vs. Campbell (Appellant) is now proceeding. This is an appeal from a judgment of the Chief Justice in which plaintiff was allowed his claim for damages for loss of goods placed in storage with defendant. Nine pieces were placed in storage, four of which were by mistake, shipped to the Old Country with someone else's goods and two of the trunks have never yet been recovered. D. Armour, K. C., is appearing for plaintiff, and W. S. Bell for defendant.

The remains of the late Mrs. Emma Starling, wife of Ernest R. Starling, of Saanichton, were laid to rest in St. Stephen's Cemetery, Saanichton, yesterday afternoon. The cortège left the residence at 2 o'clock, proceeding to St. Stephen's Church, where an impressive service was conducted by the Rev. J. S. A. Bastin. There was a large gathering of friends and many beautiful offerings covered the casket and bier. The hymns "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" and "Abide With Me" were sung. The pallbearers were E. R. John, J. Logan, J. Miller, A. Patterson, W. Logan and J. H. Thompson.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Letitia Mathews of Queen Charlotte Islands, who passed away in Vancouver on the 8th inst., took place from the B. C. Funeral Chapel yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. Gilbert Cook officiating. Interment took place in Ross Bay Cemetery. The following acted as pallbearers: J. Wright, T. Wright, W. T. Pidcock and W. Smith.

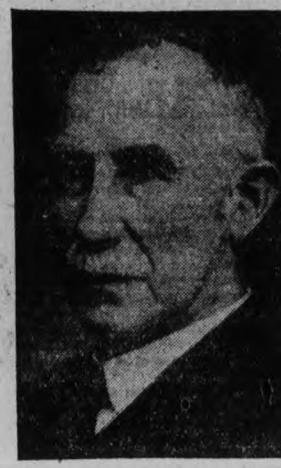
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SHOWS NEED OF MORE CAPITAL FOR WATER SYSTEM

Councillor Dooley Makes Comment on Conditions Possible If Bylaw Fails

The following are the views of Councillor Dooley on the reasons why the Saanich Council is submitting a waterworks extension bylaw to the ratepayers:

"All waterworks capital has now been expended. If the bylaw does not pass, how are extensions to be made? "For instance, if an application for service in Earl Grey Street come in, shall the Council refuse to grant the laying of the short length of service main required? This street is right in the heart of the waterworks system. There is no legitimate reason why there should not be a water service there, only 'no money.'

All Saanich Profits.

"It is suggested that the needed funds can be raised by keeping the present frontage tax instead of the intended reduction to three cents. I agree this would produce a revenue of \$8,000."

"There are two points about this practice: First, it is making capital expenditures for the benefit of the future, at the expense of the present ratepayers, and, secondly, the waterworks is the property of Saanich municipality as a whole, not of the district served.

"The use of municipal profits for the benefit of one particular street might well be blocked by councillors who object to such use of profits which otherwise would add to their roads appropriations or reduce the municipal taxation.

"The waterworks is a Saanich-wide understanding, and must be regarded as such, the profits to come from the present system belong to Saanich, not to the so-called water area," he said.

AMATEUR RACQUETS.

Montreal, Jan. 14.—Play for Canadian amateur racquet champion ship continued here again to-day and the first match saw the elimination of the Canadian champion, A. S. Cassells, at the hands of the American titleholder, C. C. Pell, of New York. The American player won in straight sets, 15-5, 15-14, 15-5.

For the School Board Messrs. Prescott, Matheson and Nicholson are elected, while Jonathan Rogers and Captain Jones were elected to the Park Board.

All the bylaws submitted were defeated, including daylight saving and the following money blaws: \$500,000 for street work; \$121,000 for new schools; \$40,000 for furniture and equipment of schools; \$80,000 for repairs and \$75,000 for extension of watermains and a \$25,000 transfer bylaw.

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**NOTED JOURNALIST
OF SATURDAY POST
OFF TO CHINA**

Mrs. Martin Egan Went Out on Russia Last Evening

A passenger on the Empress of Russia, which cleared last night for the Orient, was Mrs. Eleanor Franklin Egan, wife of the well-known publicist, and herself one of the first-class women authors of this day. Franklin Martin Egan began his journalistic career on the staff of the Victoria papers and rose with meteoric rapidity to the heights of his profession. Mrs. Egan is now on her nineteenth voyage across the Pacific, as special correspondent of The Saturday Evening Post.

Her assignment is to investigate the famine in North China, which she says, has already reached such proportions that 1,500 are dying daily. "No matter what is done by way of relief must wipe out no fewer than 15,000,000 people in the next few months,"

"The famine is beginning to reach the rapidly cumulative stage and I am going direct to Peking just as fast as I can travel in order to bring back, if I can, a picture of what such a disaster really is," Mrs. Egan said.

China Has Friends

"I am to find out what the famine is, what causes it and what is done to relieve the situation, what can be done to prevent future recurrences and what the whole thing means to the friends of China," she said.

"We hear of these famines from time to time, and learn vaguely that they are terrible catastrophes, but to the Anglo-Saxon mind the thought of 15,000,000 souls being snuffed in a few months from such a cause is appalling. This is my assignment to present a picture of the situation as it actually is."

Seen Great Seaport

"With the experience I shall have crossed the Pacific in every ship the C. F. R. has or ever did have," she said. "I went first in the old Empress of China, but this will be my first voyage in the Russia. When I came to Vancouver for my first sailing there was nothing but a little wooden hotel and Vancouver was a country village—noting more. My last visit here in 1917, after more than ten years absence, was a revelation."

Mrs. Egan began her journalistic career at the age of 18 as an occasional contributor to Leslie's. She soon became a permanent member of the staff of the magazine and has steadily risen to her pre-eminent position among American magazine writers.

It was Mrs. Egan who wrote the story of the death of General Maude in Messina. She was at the time the only American correspondent with that great expedition.

Says Daniels is Bluffing

She was most convincing with the electric quality of the leadership of General Maude and said she considered it a great privilege to have been the one who was able to see the dramatic events of that campaign from the perspective of a non-military Occidental.

In a discussion on general topics Mrs. Egan came to mention Anglo-American relations and the proposal for a big navy in the United States. That suggestion emanating from Secretary Daniels she described as pure bluff.

"When the people of the United States refused to accept President Wilson's League of Nations he and his Government simply turned like children and tried to frighten them by saying, 'Well, then, you'll have to pay \$80 billions for the largest navy in the world.' Now, even if the United States did need a big navy Joseph Daniels would not be the man to see it for he is a leftist, and it is never intended that any such programme be embarked upon in our country," said Mrs. Egan.

On another point somewhat akin she said: "Many English papers are talking about the so-called American impression that Britain's alliance with Japan is an offensive alliance. Such impression in the United States. Our people know better than that."

After visiting Peking, Mrs. Egan will journey to the Philippine Islands where she and her husband lived for five years, when he was with the Associated Press and also for a time editor of The Manila Times.

FOUR ATTEMPTS TO CROSS HECATE STRAIT

Prince Rupert, Jan. 14.—The Government launch *Leah R.* is back in port after an absence of a week, during which four attempts were made to cross Hecate Strait. During one attempt the vessel nearly founded.

Ships at a Glance

TO ARRIVE.
Chancellor, England, Jan. 17.
Canadian Exporter, Australia, Jan. 17.
Tyndareus, Orient, Jan. 23.

TO DEPART.
Africa Maru, Orient, Jan. 18.
Typhoshi Maru, Orient, Jan. 22.
Fushimi Maru, Orient, Jan. 27.

COASTWISE SAILINGS.

For Vancouver.
Princess Victoria leaves 2:15 p.m. daily.
Princess *Adelaide* or Princess Alice leaves 11:45 a.m. daily except Saturday.

From Vancouver.
Princess *Adelaide* or Princess Alice arrives 7 a.m. daily.
Princess arrives 3 p.m. daily.

For Seattle.
Sol Du leaves 9 a.m. daily.
Princess Victoria arrives 1:15 p.m. daily.

For Prince Rupert.
Prince George, 11 a.m. Sundays.
From Prince Rupert.
Prince George, Sundays, 7 a.m.
For West Coast.
Princess Maquinna leaves for Port Alice, 1st, 10th and 20th of each month.

For San Francisco.
President and Governor sail Saturdays at 6 p.m.

**PACIFIC CHIEF OF
U. S. SURVEY POSTED**

Captain Richard Derickson
Named For Geodetic Survey

Seattle, Jan. 14.—Capt. Richard B. Derickson has arrived from Washington, D. C., to succeed J. E. McGrath as chief of the United States coast and geodetic operations on the Pacific coast, including Alaska. McGrath expects to be retired after having served four years of service.

Capt. Derickson, who was commander of the Gedney when that vessel was in the coast and geodetic survey. He was in Alaska waters from 1906 to 1913. He then spent two years in the Philippines as commander of the survey boat Pathfinder. During the past four years he has been stationed at Washington, D. C., as head of the section of field work. He was recently succeeded by Lieut. Commander F. H. Hardy, who has served for several years as commander of the U. S. S. Surveyor in Alaska waters.

"The coast and geodetic survey will go ahead with its work in Alaska," said Capt. Derickson yesterday. "Another two seasons should see the work drag work along the main steamship route completed and then efforts will be turned to the dragging of the side passages."

The wire drag is used to discover pinnacles which stand up from the bottom of the channels. The water is swept with the drag to a depth of 200 feet.

While in Alaska waters, Capt. Derickson made detailed surveys of life in this port, Tongass Narrows and worked with the Canadian in running the international boundary line down Portland Canal and out past Cape Muzon at the south end of Doll Island.

"At that time," said the captain, "we worked wherever the need seemed most imperative. Since then the work has been taken up systematically, beginning at the extreme southwarding north."

J. E. McGrath, the retiring chief, is a specialist in geodetic and astronomical work. He put in two years from 1896 to 1901 in the interior of Alaska locating the One Hundred and Forty-First Meridian, which divides Alaska from the Yukon Territory. In more recent years he has worked on the remaking of the international boundary between Canada and the United States, and on astronomical work in the Southern states. He came to the Seattle office last July.

**CANADIAN WIRELESS
GOVERNMENT REPORT**

8 a. m. Report.

Point Grey—Overcast; calm; 29:78; 38; smooth.

Cape Lazo—Overcast; southeast; light; 29:05; 42; smooth; 8:15 a. m.

Princess Ena, abeam Cape Mudge; 6:30 a. m., south.

Estevan—Rain; southeast; fresh; 29:48; 37; 40; 48:35 N.

Canadian Inventor, 8 p. m., 1,140 miles from Flattery, out; 11 p. m. spoke s. t. Chanceller; 8 p. m., 400 miles south of Estevan; in; 11:50 p. m., spoke Toya Maru, 8 p. m., 48:55 N., 127:50 W.

Alert Bay—Rain; southwest; 29:45 a. m., moderate. 10:45 p. m., spoke Princess Ena, abeam Port Harcourt Point, south.

Ocean Falls—Rain; southwest; 29:48; 32; rough; 8 p. m., spoke Camosun, left Surf Inlet 6:03 p. m., north; 8:20 p. m., spoke Princess Beatrice, entering Queen Charlotte Sound, south.

Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; calm; 29:80; 25; smooth.

Prince Rupert—Snow; northwest; 29:91; 40; smooth.

Alert Bay—Rain; southwest; 29:45 a. m., 10:45 p. m., spoke Princess Ena, abeam Port Harcourt Point, south.

Cape Lazo—Rain; calm; 29:76; 43; smooth; 10:30 a. m., spoke Admir. Rodman, Sea Egg Rocks, 10:45 a. m., north.

Estevan—Rain, southeast; 29:73; 41; rough; 29:80; 40; rough; 11:15 a. m., spoke Princess Maquinna, leaving Quatsino Sound, south; noon, Prince George, Ivory Island, south.

Noon Report.

Point Grey—Overcast; calm; 29:70; 38; smooth.

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**HIGHLANDER READY
FOR SEA SHORTLY**

Vancouver, Jan. 14.—With 3,500,000 feet of lumber ready for the Canadian Australasian Royal Mail Line, the freighter Canadian Highlander of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine, is practically ready for sea. She is posted to clear on Friday morning.

The Highlander is a product of the Canadian Shipyards and will be steaming away on her maiden voyage. She is in command of Capt. H. R. Fisher and is manned by a crew of local men. She is a British Columbia-built boat, manned by British Columbia men, and carrying a cargo consisting of British Columbia products.

**TAIL SHAFT PACKING
WORKED LOOSE AT SEA**

Vancouver, Jan. 14.—Making considerable water as a result of part of the tail shaft packing having worked loose, the freighter *Mobile*, of the Canadian Australasian Royal Mail Line, which was said to have taken on water at this port, but which was forced to omit the local call on account of delays, reached Port Townsend yesterday. Two of her pumps were in full operation, and shortly after her arrival a third was placed in commission. She was in no danger of sinking as the pumps were able to control the influx of water.

While bound from Shanghai to this port, the *Mobile* City ran into heavy gales on the Pacific. The tail shaft packing had worked loose before the voyage was half completed and the vessel began to leak slowly, but steadily. It may be possible to have the repairs made at Port Townsend, if not the ship will proceed to Seattle to have the work done.

**STEWARDS STRIKE
TISSUE TWO BOATS**

Vancouver, Jan. 14.—Advice has been received at the office of the Canadian Australasian Royal Mail Line that the liner *Makura* is held indefinitely at Sydney, Australia, on account of the stewards' strike. A dispatch from Sydney to the port confirmed the report and the additional news that the ship-owners have determined to fight the strikers to a finish and will tie up their steamers indefinitely. The stewards refused to sign on the *Makura*, which ship has a full list of passengers for the port.

The *Makura*, of the same line, is also tied up in port at the same place, and has been for some weeks now, the *Makura* taking her last sailing southward yesterday.

Wages of common laborers at Springfield, Mass., will be reduced from 67½ to 50 cents an hour.

President and Governor sail Saturdays at 6 p.m.

**HEAVY ATLANTIC
STORMS RETARDING
LARGEST LINERS**

Imperator and Other Large
Liners From 12 to 48
Hours Delayed

New York, Jan. 14.—Officers of steamship lines here reported to-day that thirteen passenger vessels and twenty-five freight steamers due in this port to-day and to-morrow from twelve to forty-eight hours because of heavy storms. Among those held up are the *Imperator*, one of the largest passenger ships afloat, and the *Kennebunk*.

Seattle, Jan. 14.—With the Thordyke-Trenholme Company, Inc., acting as chartering agents, the Alaska Steamship Company has decided to put the new 6,000-ton steel motorship *Kennebunk*, the only vessel of her type thus far flying the American flag, into world-wide trade with Puget Sound as her base of operations, and fair dealing in mind. At the right time an American craft propelled by internal combustion engines will be tried out in competition with vessels of this type operated by foreign concerns.

The decision to enter the *Kennebunk* in world commerce was made after several conferences between the officers of the Alaska Steamship Company and the Thordyke-Trenholme concern. The decision was made to enter the *Kennebunk* in world-wide trade with Puget Sound as her base of operations, and fair dealing in mind. At the right time an American craft propelled by internal combustion engines will be tried out in competition with vessels of this type operated by foreign concerns.

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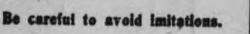
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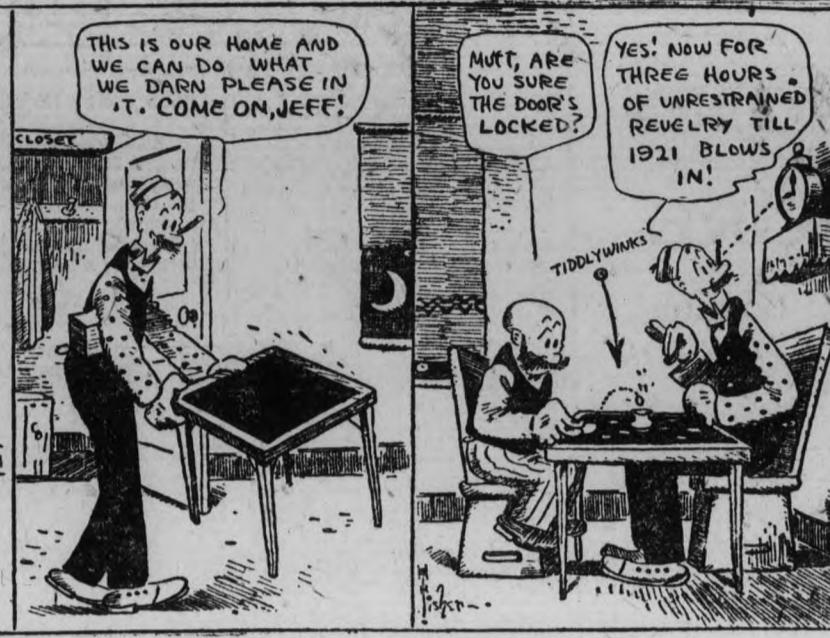
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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

DIED.

STEWART—At the family residence, 2821 Blackwood Street, on January 13, Andrew Blackwood, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart.

The remains are resting at the B. C. Funeral Chapel, 734 Broad Street, and will be buried with full military honours on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Friends please accept this intimation.

TRICKLEY—On January 12, 1921, at this city, Mary Ann, beloved wife of William Trickley, a Law Officer, who died on January 1, 1920, in Victoria, B. C. She is survived by her husband, also two daughters, Mrs. W. N. Webb and Mrs. E. Trickley, and five grandchildren.

The funeral will take place from the residence of the widow on Saturday morning, January 13, at 10 a.m. Interment will be made at the Victoria Cemetery. Flowers left at the office of the D. C. Funeral Co. up till noon, Saturday, will be delivered.

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Explorers Again Busy After Four Inactive Years

Sixteen Exploration Expeditions in Progress or Contemplated

New York, Jan. 14.—Sixteen exploration expeditions are now in progress or in contemplation after four years of inactivity in this line of scientific research due to the Great War. Most of these enterprises have been undertaken or projected since the armistice and they represent the fact that Mother Earth still has important biological, zoological, geological, ethnological and meteorological problems which are still unsolved.

One of the most important of these enterprises is the British Antarctic Expedition, headed by Commander John L. Lewis Colgate, F. R. G. S., formerly of the British Navy. It is financed for \$750,000 and includes five ships, 125 men, several aeroplanes and extensive wireless apparatus. The undertaking is to require five years and its objects are the circumnavigation of the Antarctic Sea, a dash to the South Pole, locating new land groups, and the discovery of supposedly rich gold, silver, coal and ruby fields.

Captain Roald Amundsen, who discovered the South Pole in 1911, left Nome, Alaska, last August in an attempt to reach the North Pole. His ship, the Maud, had already spent months in the Arctic, north of Asia and Europe, and had successfully made the Northeast Passage. He expected the Maud to be locked in the icepack and to drift toward the Pole when the Arctic Winter ended.

In negotiating his way to Nome he was frequently compelled to pass a path of ice 100 feet thick. Captain Amundsen was last heard of off East Cape, about 170 miles northwest of Nome in the Behring Straits. The explorer, on account of high wages and scarcity of men, was handicapped by lack of help, his only companion being three sailors and an Eskimo cook.

The other interesting expeditions projected or now under way are as follows:

Siberia.

Captain Axel Landmark and Captain John Vatney, in a 50-foot power boat are on a 4,000-mile voyage to the Kolyma river, using a primitive chart made in 1878 by Nordenskjold, a Swedish explorer on his voyage from Norway to Japan via the Arctic Ocean.

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I wish to thank all of you who kindly supported me at the polls yesterday.

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Announcements

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FARMERS ENTER POLITICAL ARENA

Manitoba Convention Resolves to Draw Up Platform

Brandon, Jan. 14.—(Canadian Press)—The United Farmers of Manitoba, left-wing party in the Provincial political arena when the annual convention to-day passed a resolution favoring provincial political action and authorizing organization and preliminary steps to the drawing up of a platform. The most lively discussion which has occurred since the convention opened followed the proposal for a resolution by W. R. Wood, secretary.

No opposition to the entrance of the Farmers' Association into politics developed, but an attempt was made to have a committee appointed to immediately draft a platform to receive the sanction of the delegates.

That did not meet with the approval of the Farmers, who voted in favor of a delay to allow of the district locals preparing and submitting their views as to what should constitute the platform.

Vote of Confidence.

After hearing statements that aspersions had been cast on the board of directors as to action taken and not taken at the last provincial elections, the convention passed to them a vote of confidence.

With the wheat pool discussed and provincial political action decided upon the convention has disposed of the most important problems before it.

This afternoon will be taken up with resolutions. The convention concludes with to-night's session.

At this morning's session of the United Farmers of Manitoba a resolution was passed asking that the provincial election be delayed to be held immediately to the western provinces and that full compensation be made for lands and resources alienated from the provinces since Confederation.

Semliki forests, finding a strange race of pygmy savages as well as gathering a wonderful collection of moths and butterflies.

Baffin Land.

Donald B. MacMillan, who was with Peary, plans to start this year to explore one of the richest fields in the Far North. He expects to establish a camp 700 miles south of Etah in Northwest Greenland, where his Crocker Land Expedition passed four winters. He will attempt to circumnavigate Baffin Land and penetrate 1,500 miles of its western coast.

Nova Zembla.

Dr. Olaf Holtedahl, of Christiania University, is organizing a Northwestern Natural Science and Geological Expedition to this country and plans to start next Summer.

Mexico.

Professor Emilio Odone, a famous Neapolitan seismologist, representing the Italian Government, is now studying the earthquake situation in Mexico by means of his "inverrometer," an invention by which he is able to measure both motion and energy.

The Amazon.

Exploration of this great river is to be undertaken this year by a large party of American scientists, headed by Dr. Henry H. Russby, of Columbia University. The party expected to traverse more than 1,000 square miles of almost virgin land in the upper reaches of the river.

The Russby will be accompanied by Dr. Leland Starr Jordan, president of the Leland Stanford University; Dr. Carl H. Elsengrann, of the University of Indiana, who were to study fish and reptiles; Dr. Ruthven, of the University of Michigan, to study flora; and Dr. Edward Krenz, of the University of Wisconsin, and Professor A. H. Gill, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, to investigate seed and volatile oils.

Ecuador and Peru.

Collections of flora and fauna are now being gathered for the American Museum of Natural History in New York, by Captain Harold E. Anthony and George K. Cheever.

Pacific Islands.

Solution of the origin of the Polynesian race is one of the objects of a survey of the Pacific Islands planned at a recent conference of scientists at Honolulu under the auspices of the Pan-Pacific Union, representing the United States, Canada, England, Australia, New Zealand, Hawaii, the Philippines and Japan. An expedition will be sent to the South Seas for the purpose by Yale, Harvard and other institutions.

China and Tibet.

The third expedition, backed by a fund of \$250,000, is to start from New York under the leadership of Roy Chapman Andrews, associate curator of mammals in the American Museum of Natural History, New York. The Chinese Government is expected to co-operate with this enterprise.

Glutton With Wool.

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Hun Drummer Persists.

With the previous success and despite his previous snubbing the Hun traveller returned months later. This time he was permitted to quote a price. He offered his wares at 49 per cent of the price asked by the Scotch maker. The Scotch manufacturer made a final appeal to his bottle-making compatriot who refused to do so. The Scotchman replied that his factory was the sole source of supply anyway. So the manufacturer was constrained to give his trade to the German. And this is only one instance of what is happening in many lines of trade. With the German mark, once 25 cents now down to 10 cents, and with manufacturers bidding and for trade, inducements are such that even those who swore they would neither truck nor trade with the Hun in future have relaxed this resolution.

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REMBRANDT STOLEN

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All materials bought during Home Sewing Week cut to your patterns if desired, by an experienced dressmaker, without charge.

27-In. English Delaines, 39c Yard

Novelty Delaines in fancy floral, check and stripe designs. Very exceptional value.

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76-Inch Bleached Sheetings

Regular \$1.10 Yard **79c**

Full Bleached Sheetings, in a good heavy quality, 76 inches wide. Yard, 79c. Please note that we reserve the right to limit the quantity to each customer.

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White Cambric

Regular 50c Yard **34c**

Fine quality White Cambric, suitable for home sewing; 34 inches wide.

Zephyr Ginghams

27 Inches Wide, Yard, **45c**

Zephyr Ginghams, in neat check patterns. The wearing qualities of ginghams are well known. We specially recommend them for house dresses and children's wear.

Scotch Union Shirting

Regular \$1.15 Yard **85c**

This is an excellent fabric for shirts and pyjamas. Comes in regular shirting patterns.

Striped Jap Crepes

Regular 50c Yard **39c**

Striped Crepes in a large assortment of colors, suitable for house dresses, separate skirts and children's dresses.

Linen Crash Toweling

Regular 50c Yard **39c**

Linen Crash Roller Toweling; very durable wear.

Heaps of Fresh Staple Goods and Wash Fabrics For Home Sewing Week



63 Inches Wide Bleached Sheetings

Regular 90c yard **76c**
Regular \$1.00 yard **80c**

81 Inches Wide Bleached Sheetings

Regular \$1.10 yard **85c**
Regular \$1.25 yard **90c**
Regular \$1.35 yard **95c**

90 Inches Wide Bleached Sheetings

Regular \$1.25 yard **90c**
Regular \$1.45 yard **1.20**
Regular \$1.75 yard **1.50**

Pillow Circulars

These are made from a fine grade of Pillow Cotton, which will stand hard wear.
40 to 44 inches wide, regular 60c and 65c yard, **50c** and **55c**
42 inches wide, regular 75c and \$1.25 yard, **60c** and **75c**

Exceptional Values in Flannelettes

Flannelettes of reliable qualities which will give the best of wear.

White Flannelettes

27 inches wide, regular 35c yard **28c**
30 inches wide, regular 40c yard **32c**
34 inches wide, regular 50c yard **40c**
36 inches wide, regular 60c yard **49c**

Striped Flannelettes

27 inches wide, regular 35c yard **25c**
30 inches wide, regular 40c yard **37c**
34 inches wide, regular 50c yard **40c**
36 inches wide, regular 60c yard **49c**

English Plaid Ginghams

27 inches wide, yard **50c**

Novely Plaid Ginghams; these come in beautiful colorings and are a very fine quality.

English Oxford Shirtings

Oxford Shirtings in a strong wearing quality, 27 inches wide; these come in neat shirting patterns. Regular 65c, yard **53c**

All Wool Baby Flannel

These come in a nice, soft, fine quality English manufacture:

24 inches wide, regular \$1.15 yard, **95c**
26 inches wide, regular \$1.25 yard, **100c**
26 inches wide, regular \$1.35 yard, **110c**
28 inches wide, regular \$1.40 yard, **120c**
28 inches wide, regular \$1.50 yard, **130c**
30 inches wide, regular \$1.50 yard, **130c**

Scarlet Wool Flannel

28 inches wide, regular \$1.50 yard, **130c**

Cream Winceys

Very durable quality; unshrinkable. 30 inches wide, regular 85c yard, **65c**

42 inches wide, regular \$1.75 yard, **145c**

40 inches wide, regular \$1.50 yard, **130c**

Pyjama Cloth

36 inches wide, regular \$1.10 yard, **90c**

Shows in nice stripe designs in shades of pink, blue, fawn and lavender.

Linen Crash Toweling

Regular 65c Yard **49c**

Heavy Natural Linen Crash Toweling, 22 inches wide; will give the best of service.

Terry Toweling

Regular 50c Yard **39c**

White Terry Towelling in a good wearing quality.

Pyjama Cloth

3 Yards for \$1.00

Pyjama Cloth, an ideal fabric for pyjamas and shirts, etc. This is a well woven cloth which will give good wear.

29 inches wide.

Fancy Velour

Regular 49c Yard **39c**

Fancy Floral Velour suitable for kimonas, and house dresses, etc.

28 inches wide.

36-Inch Dimity Satin Stripes

Regular 50c Yard **39c**

Dimity Satin Stripes for children's dresses and fancy tea aprons, etc. This is a very fine quality; 36 inches wide.

Fancy Armures

Regular \$1.35 Yard **98c**

36-inch Armure Suiting, a splendid wearing material.

Dress Fabrics and Silks For Home Sewing Week



Regular to \$5.95 Jersey Cloth, \$4.50 Yard

54-Inch Pure Wool Jersey Cloth in plain and heather mixtures, woven circular in medium and heavy weights; a good range of colors.

40-Inch Novelty Georgette Crepe, \$2.95 Yard

Formerly \$7.50 yard; a fine quality crepe in many beautiful patterns.

Regular 85c Natural Pongee, 59c Yard

34 inches wide; this is a very popular material for waists and children's wear.

Regular to \$5.50 Silk Skirtings, \$2.49 Yard

36-Inch Silk Skirtings in a large variety of plaid and stripe effects.

Regular \$1.65 Colored Corduroys, \$1.29 Yard

27-Inch Colored Corduroys in medium size cord; reliable quality. Good range of colors.

Regular \$2.25 Wool Plaid Dress Goods, \$1.59

40 inches wide and suitable for separate skirts, blouses, etc.

40-Inch Silk Georgette Crepe

Reg. \$2.95, **\$1.95**

All-Silk Georgette Crepe in a large range of popular shades.

Special Prices on Sewing Requisites

De Long Snap Fasteners, easy to sew on. Regular 10c card for **8c**

De Long Hooks and Eyes, black and white; all sizes. Regular 10c card for **8c**

Bias Seam Tape, black and white, six yards to a piece:

Regular 25c for **20c**

Regular 35c for **28c**

Regular 40c for **32c**

Linen Buttons: two hole; best quality. Regular 10c for **2 for 15c**

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Regular 15c for **2 for 25c**

Sewing Needles. Murrall's English make, per package **10c**

Pins, 200 on a sheet, per sheet **5c**

Basting Cotton, 1000 yards, spool **50c**

Specials for This Week

Morrall's Auto Veil Pins, 3 on a card. Regular 20c card for **16c**

Morrall's Toilet Pins. Regular 10c cube for **8c**

Morrall's Jet Mourning. Regular 10c box for **8c**

Mending Wool, black, white, natural and grey. Special, card **24c**

Hair Nets, cape shape, real hair; all shades. Special, each **15c**

Bone Hair Pins, 3 on a card. Regular 10c for **8c**

Materials Made Up Free During This Week

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Palm Beach Suiting

Regular 75c Yard **45c**

Palm Beach Suiting, in an exceptionally good quality, 34 inches wide. Comes in Copenhagen blue, sky, light green, royal blue, old rose, helio, mid-brown and natural.

35-Inch Longcloth

Regular 40c Yard **29c**

Fine quality Longcloth, which will give good wear; pure finish.

Dress Linen

Uncrushable, all pure linen; half bleached. You know the value of linen. Here is a bargain.

36 inches wide, regular \$1.45 yard. **98c**